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IMPORTANT NOTICE

Kindly take note that this prospectus is aimed at prospective postgraduate students wishing to apply for a place at the University of the Free State **(UFS)** and who wish to start their studies at the UFS during the 2025 academic year. The prospectus accordingly describes and outlines the programmes and services offered by the UFS, as well as the minimum admission requirements for each programme, but must be read together with the policies, rules, and regulations of the UFS (as may be amended from time to time). To be considered for selection in a programme, an applicant is required to comply with the programme's minimum admission criteria (as determined per programme), and the faculty/department's specific requirements.

The UFS makes every effort to ensure that the information provided in this prospectus is accurate and up to date at the time of going to press. However, it may be necessary for the UFS to make some changes to the information presented in the prospectus following publication – for example, where it is necessary to reflect changes in policy, practice, or theory, or if an accrediting body necessitates requirements to be amended. Furthermore, certain programmes may only be offered if there are enough applicants.

The UFS undertakes to implement all reasonable steps to provide the services (including, but not limited to, the presentation of the programmes) described in the prospectus. It does not, however, guarantee the provision of such services or the presentation of any or all programmes described herein. Should circumstances beyond the control of the UFS interfere with its ability to provide the services or presentation of any programme described herein, the UFS undertakes to take all reasonable steps to minimise any disruption to the services.

Furthermore, the UFS reserves its right to make amendments to admission requirements if and when necessary. It reserves the right to withdraw, wholly or in part, the delivery of programmes. Applicants for, and students in affected programmes will be informed in advance of the commencement of their studies for the academic year concerned.

Message from

THE DEPUTY VICE-CHANCELLOR: RESEARCH AND INTERNATIONALISATION

I extend a warm welcome to all our postgraduate students joining the University of the Free State. Our university is forward-looking, future-oriented, and aspirational. We are research-led, focused on excellence, with visibility and impact underpinned by the values of social justice and care.

Postgraduate students are central to our mission through their partnership with us in researching, teaching, and maintaining a vibrant academic community.
Our postgraduate education is focused on developing creative individuals and desirable graduates who meet the needs of our changing society. We are intentional about actively involving our students in cutting-edge research and creative activities conducted by our laboratories (whether in science, fine arts, music, or theatres). We encourage you to expose yourselves to new challenges. We are keen to help you develop your skills and competencies (with confidence) to face and resolve the tough 'wicked problems' in the world.

We at the UFS take pride not only in the quality of teaching, but also in the research and scholarship of our academics, all of whom are at your disposal to provide you with a comprehensive and inclusive educational experience.

By joining the UFS, you have become part of a successful, energetic, committed, and supportive academic and postgraduate community.
This prospectus contains important information required by a prospective postgraduate student considering studies at the UFS. The prospectus also responds to the information needs of international postgraduate students, whose presence on our campus enriches both our social and academic lives.

You will also find material specific to the programme of study or the discipline on which your research will be based. Our research, postgraduate, and international office support team will be able to help if you have further queries and will guide you throughout your time with us.

Whether you are a prospective applicant, a new, or an experienced student, we are excited to help you achieve your academic and professional goals.

My best wishes for a rewarding and fulfilling experience at the UFS. I hope that your time with us is enjoyable and stimulating, as well as very productive.

Prof Vasu Reddy

Message from

THE CENTRE FOR GRADUATE SUPPORT (CGS)

The University of the Free State (UFS) aspires to be a research-led, student-centred, and regionally engaged university that contributes to development and social justice through the production of globally competitive graduates and knowledge.

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It is a great privilege to welcome you to the postgraduate cohort of the University of the Free State (UFS) as you embark on another chapter of your academic journey. Congratulations on the hard work that has led you to this point – continuing your studies at postgraduate level is a significant achievement and serves as a testament to your intellectual curiosity, resilience, and commitment to personal and academic growth.

The Centre for Graduate Support (CGS) has a vital role to play in supporting postgraduate students – from admission to graduation – to contribute to the vision of the UFS to become a research-led university. At the CGS, we take immense pride in our academic excellence, innovation, and a commitment to fostering an environment of learning, discovery, and personal development. Whether you are pursuing an honour's degree, master's degree or a PhD, you have joined a community of scholars, researchers, and lifelong learners dedicated to making a positive impact on the world.

At the CGS you will find a community that thrives on collaboration, diversity, and the pursuit of knowledge. A supportive and inclusive environment, where you can expand your horizons, engage in groundbreaking research, and develop lifelong friendships – nurturing not only your intellectual abilities, but also your personal and professional growth.

We encourage you to make the most of your time here. You will have access to dedicated advisers, esteemed professors, and a range of academic activities. Attend the seminars and workshops, engage in lively discussions, seek out opportunities for collaboration, and never hesitate to reach out to us here at the CGS for guidance and support. At the CGS, we create networks between staff and students, industry partners, as well as national and international peers to support you in making the most of your time here at the UFS.

We also seek to deliver research experiences through seminars and workshops that prepare students for academic and professional post-study careers and opportunities, while offering dedicated support – all aimed at improving the throughput and success of postgraduate students, assisting you in completing your studies in the minimum time.

Your postgraduate journey will be an exciting one, filled with challenges and opportunities – but remember that you are not alone. We are committed to supporting your aspirations and helping you achieve your academic and personal goals. The CGS offers a remarkable variety of workshops, ranging from workshops on academic writing to workshops on quantitative and qualitative research methods. We are also strengthening our online offerings to enable students to access the material from anywhere in the world.

Sir Isaac Newton once said, "If I have seen further, it is by standing on the shoulders of giants." We stand on the shoulders of those who came before us, and we are building the foundation for the future generations to stand on ours. Let us take this responsibility seriously, knowing that our contributions will shape the path for those who follow.

It is the privilege of the CGS to welcome, support, and strengthen you on this journey.

WHERE ARE WE SITUATED?

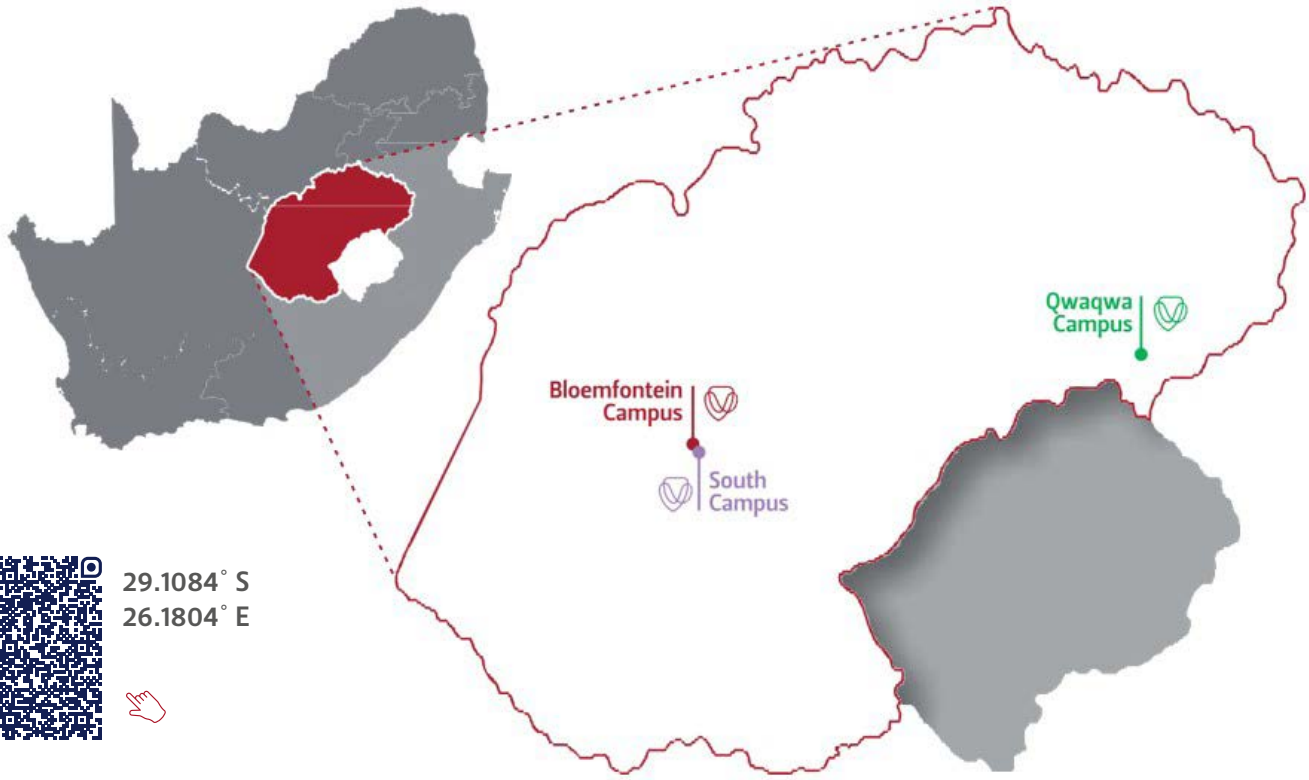
FREE STATE - DISCOVER THE HEART OF SOUTH AFRICA

In the geographical heart of South Africa, the Free State province is a tapestry of natural splendour, woven with the threads of cultural richness and vibrant history. Encircled by diverse provinces and the mountain kingdom of Lesotho, it is a gateway to an array of South African experiences.

The Free State's fertile soil yields abundance that feeds the nation, and its landscapes captivate – with a dramatic blend of expansive plains and the awe-inspiring Maluti and Drakensberg mountain ranges. Golden Gate Highlands National Park crowns this scenic majesty with its breathtaking sandstone formations and a treasure trove of ancient San rock art, set against a backdrop where wildlife roams free under the vast African sky. Beyond nature's appeal, the province is a canvas of historical narratives and cultural tapestries. In Bloemfontein, you will discover a hub of knowledge at the National Museum, with its fossil collections unparalleled in South Africa. Memorials and heritage sites tell stories of yesteryear, and the Basotho Cultural Village near Qwaqwa invites you to step into a living history of local traditions.

The Free State's fabric is one of warm hospitality and a relaxed pace of life, offering a slice of tranquillity for the soul. Adventure seekers can quench their thirst with exhilarating outdoor pursuits, such as hiking unspoiled trails, abseiling down rugged cliffs, or conquering the Ash River, which boasts high water levels year-round for the ultimate white-water rafting experience. In Bloemfontein, the nation's judicial heart, the Franklin Game Reserve defies expectations – a sanctuary of wildlife embraces urban life, offering a unique juxtaposition where one can gaze upon giraffes against the city skyline. Connectivity is seamless, with the Bram Fischer International Airport providing efficient travel to and from major urban hubs. The Free State promises more than just a place of study; it is a horizon of possibilities, an affordable, accessible, and captivating locale. It is the warmth of its people that truly defines it, their generosity and friendliness offering a home away from home, where every student is welcomed into a community that celebrates diversity and nurtures potential.

Welcome to the Free State, where every path leads to discovery, and every experience enriches your journey. This is not just your study destination; it is the beginning of your story in the heart of South Africa.



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THE UFS IN NUMBERS

Established in 1904

128 International Postdoctoral Fellows

40 160 Total Number of Students

33 029 Total Undergraduate Students

Permanent Staff 3 184

6 549 Total Postgraduate Students

Students per Campus

30 457 Bloemfontein Campus

7 241 QwaQwa Campus

2 462 South Campus

291 Occasional Students

884 International Students

188 Postdoctoral Fellows

2024 Graduates completed in 2023

6 547	Undergraduate Students
741	Postgraduate Diplomas
1 047	Honours Degrees
617	Master's Degrees
189	Doctoral Degrees

417 Students in Distance Qualifications (on South Campus)

*Graduated in 2023.
Data as on 27 May 2024.

OUR CAMPUSES

BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS

THE EPICENTRE OF INNOVATION AND CULTURE

Situated in the vibrant heart of South Africa's judicial capital, the Bloemfontein Campus of the University of the Free State stands as a beacon of academic excellence and architectural beauty. Here, the pursuit of knowledge spans all seven faculties, offering a comprehensive range of undergraduate and postgraduate programmes. Our campus is not just a place of learning, but a masterpiece of unique architecture and art where state-of-the-art research facilities meet advanced teaching and sporting spaces. Wrapped in the embrace of eco-conscious, water-wise gardens, the campus is a living testament to sustainability and environmental stewardship.

Our commitment to inclusivity shines through, with meticulously designed Braille-guided areas, ramps, and elevators, ensuring that all students, regardless of visual or mobility impairments, experience a nurturing educational environment. This structural compassion underpins our culture of care and social justice, fostering an academic community that is as diverse as it is united.

QWAQWA CAMPUS

A HAVEN OF LEARNING IN THE HEART OF NATURE

Embraced by the majestic Maluti Mountains, the Qwaqwa Campus serves as a sanctuary of higher education for the region's youth, offering tailored programmes that drive socio-economic upliftment. Understanding the rural heartbeat of the Eastern Free State, our programmes are steeped in research that seeks innovative strategies for job creation and economic vitality. The campus takes pride in housing the internationally renowned Afromontane Research Unit (ARU), a hub of excellence that pioneers mountain research in Africa. This is where academic rigour meets the quest for real-world solutions, all within an environment that inspires and empowers.

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“FOR TOMORROW BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE WHO PREPARE FOR IT TODAY.”

The wisdom contained in this African proverb rings true through the ages, echoing in all
sectors of society, reverberating in local, regional, and global contexts.

At the University of the Free State, we have a clear vision of where we want to be within the next few years leading up to the year 2034, when the university will be 130 years old. This vision is encapsulated in our Vision 130, which expresses our intent and commitment to be acknowledged by our peers and society as a top-tier university in South Africa, ranked among the best in the world.

Equally important to this clear vision is our strategy on how to turn vision into reality. We are focused on consistently renewing and reimagining ourselves in order to effectively impact the communities that surround us. We aim to do this by building on our enduring strengths and successes, established and honed since our inception in 1904. We are proud of our consistent growth in student success, brought about by a holistic approach to student development, our continued contribution to scarce skills areas in our country and our region, and our increasing curricular relevance and graduate employability. We are consistently improving our research productivity and expanding our number of leading researchers, with distinctive research areas that are continuously developing.

We want to build on these solid foundations by increasing our number of postgraduate students, recruiting the best students and scholars from diverse backgrounds, cultivating and expanding cherished partnerships with our wide range of stakeholders, and making maximum use of new and existing technologies to enhance the quality of learning, teaching, research, and business processes. Academic excellence, quality, and impact lie at the centre of our vision. So does maximum societal impact through sustainable relationships, as well as a diverse, inclusive, and equitable university culture.

We are setting our sights and strategy high, knowing that our institution has the necessary human capital, resilience, and innovation to grow from strength to strength. With our final destination firmly in focus, we are guided by shining beacons – in the form of the values that we as a university community subscribe to and cherish. Excellence, Innovation and Impact, Accountability, Care, Social Justice, and Sustainability will always shape and inform our institutional culture and provide a framework for our actions and decisions.

Our ultimate mission is to generate and impart new knowledge that impactfully supports societal development.

The future higher education landscape will be characterised by unprecedented change, brought about by technological advancement, increased internationalisation, and a renewed focus on the need to actively and sustainably advance societies around the globe.
It is a future we are boldly and confidently approaching.

Because we are preparing for it today.

FOR MORE DETAILS:

RESEARCH AT THE UFS

RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS

The University of the Free State (UFS) has seen significant growth and impact in its research portfolio over the past decade. Even during the challenging times of the pandemic, the university's research remained strong and continued to advance, embracing new and different engagements. Notably, researchers have made substantial contributions beyond the institution's boundaries, with many joining international and national groups in the fight against the COVID-19 virus. Established and new partnerships have played a crucial role in seeking solutions not only to the pandemic, but also to overcoming constraints on the university's core business.

The UFS has also made major investments in postgraduate education, attracting the best honours, master's, and doctoral students from across the continent and worldwide. Efforts include research capacitation and tuition assistance for qualifying postgraduate students, underscoring the commitment to supporting postgraduate education.

The university's Centre for Graduate Support (CGS) plays a pivotal role in providing comprehensive support to postgraduate students, offering opportunities for research skills development through workshops and related events. These initiatives cover various critical areas, including writing skills, research methods, information management, ethical practices, research supervision, project management, theoretical application, intellectual property and legislation, and career development. Postgraduate students are supported, mentored, and supervised by leading professors who are committed to developing their competence and confidence as new researchers.

Research at the UFS revolves around being a research-led university, focusing on two international agendas: The Africa We Want and the Sustainable Development Goals. The university's research agenda is articulated in six themes, including local and regional socio-economic development, food security and land reform, health and well-being, human rights, social justice, reconciliation, and new scientific and industrial challenges. This interdisciplinary approach underpins research activities, ensuring excellence in research, scholarship, and innovation across the university's faculties.

In summary, the University of the Free State has demonstrated resilience, commitment to advancing research even amid challenges, and providing extensive support to postgraduate students to ensure their success.

For more information on the services that CGS offers, contact the team below:
The CGS is situated on the ground floor of the Johannes Brill Building. The postgrad applicants and students submitting their thesis can access the building through the side annex. The CGS staff looks forward to welcoming you and supporting you throughout this beautiful new journey.

Join some of the leading professors in the world as you pursue an advanced degree in your field.

RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS

RATED RESEARCHERS

The National Research Foundation's (NRF) rating system is a benchmarking system through which individuals who exemplify the highest standards of research, as well as those demonstrating strong potential as researchers, are identified by an extensive network of South African and international peer reviewers. Ratings are based on the quality and impact of recent research outputs (over an eight-year period).

Apart from research output, the quality and impact of research at tertiary institutions in South Africa are also reflected in the number of rated scientists identified through the NRF-rating system. Awards are valid for a period of six years.

The most distinguished categories are:

- **A** for researchers regarded as world leaders in their fields
- **B** for researchers who enjoy considerable international recognition by their peers
- **C** for researchers regarded as established in their field
- **P** for young researchers with exceptional potential who are likely to become future international leaders in their fields

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OUR 2024 TOP NRF-RATED RESEARCHERS

Rated Researcher	Rating	Campus	Department	Faculty	Race	Gender
Abolarin, SM	Y2	Bloemfontein	Department Engineering Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Adefuye, AO	Y2	Bloemfontein	Office of the Dean: Health Sciences	Health Sciences	Black	Male
Adelabu, S	Y2	Bloemfontein	Geography	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Aghoghovwia, P	Y1	Bloemfontein	Department of English	Humanities	Black	Male
Akpomie, G	Y2	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Akinyelu, AAA	Y2	Bloemfontein	Computer Science And Informatics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Albertyn, J	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbiology, Biochemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Alsemgeest, L	C2	Bloemfontein	School of Financial Planning	Law	White	Female
Ashafa, T	C2	QwaQwa	Department of Plant Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Auret, HA	Y2	Bloemfontein	Architecture	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Azov, V	C2	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Barkhuizen, EN	C2	Bloemfontein	Business School	Economic & Management Sciences	White	Female
Bahta, YT	C2	Bloemfontein	Agricultural Economics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Beckmann, J	C2	Bloemfontein	Office for International Affiars	Office for International Affairs	White	Male
Beirlant, JA	B1	Bloemfontein	Department of Mathematical Statistics and Actuarial Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Beyers, C	C3	Bloemfontein	Education	Education	White	Female
Biljohn, MIM	Y2	Bloemfontein	Public Administration And Management	Economic & Management Sciences	Coloured	Female
Boshoff, WHA	A2	Bloemfontein	Fine Arts	Humanities	White	Male
Boshoff, WHP	C2	Bloemfontein	Depatment of Plant Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Boucher, C	Y2	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbiology, Bio-chemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Coloured	Female
Bragg, RR	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biochemi-cal and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Breshears, DL	C2	QwaQwa	Department of Communication Sciences	Humanities	White	Female
Brink, A	Y1	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Brits, H	C2	Bloemfontein	Family Medicine	Health Sciences	White	Female
Brokensha, S	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of English	Humanities	White	Female

Rated Researcher	Rating	Campus	Department	Faculty	Race	Gender
Brown, SC	C1	Bloemfontein	Pediatric Cardiology	Health Sciences	White	Male
Brownhilder, N	Y2	Bloemfontein	Business Management	Economic & Management Sciences	Black	Female
Burger, P	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Economics	Economic & Management Sciences	White	Male
Burt, FJ	B1	Bloemfontein	Department of Medical Microbiology	Health Sciences	White	Female
Campbell, M	C3	Bloemfontein	Urban And Regional Planning	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Carranza, J	B1	Bloemfontein	Geology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Asian	Male
Cason, E	Y2	Bloemfontein	Animal Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Chidawanyika, F	Y2	Bloemfontein	Zoology & Entomology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Chikobvu, D	C3	Bloemfontein	Mathematical Statistics and Actuarial Sc	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Clark, VR	C1	QwaQwa	Research Development	Research Development	White	Male
Chiweshe, TT	C2	Bloemfontein	Institute for Groundwater Study	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Codron, D	B3	Bloemfontein	Zoology & Entomology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Coetsee-Hugo, E	C2	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Coetzee, E	Y2	Bloemfontein	Political studies and Governance	Humanities	White	Male
Cohen, AP	C3	Bloemfontein	International Studies Group	Humanities	White	Male
Conradie, J	C1	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Conradie, MS	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of English	Humanities	White	Male
Conradie-Bekker, MM	C2	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Cook, JAC	C1	Bloemfontein	Hebrew Department	Humanities	White	Male
Deane, T	C2	Bloemfontein	Office of the Dean: Law	Law	Indian	Female
De Freitas, S	C2	Bloemfontein	Public Law	Law	White	Male
De Milander, M	C3	Bloemfontein	Exercise And Sport Sciences	Humanities	White	Female
De Villiers, AR	Y1	Bloemfontein	Department of English	Humanities	White	Male
De Villiers, PGR	C1	Bloemfontein	Old And New Testament Studies	Theology	White	Male
De Wet, K	C2	Bloemfontein	Sociology	Humanities	White	Female
De Wit, M	C3	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biochemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Deacon, F	Y2	Bloemfontein	Animal Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Du Plessis, FCP	C2	Bloemfontein	Medical Physics	Health Sciences	White	Male
Du Plessis, G	Y1	Bloemfontein	Free State Centre For Human Rights	Law	White	Female
Du Plessis, LT	C1	Bloemfontein	Unit for Language Facilitation and Empowerment	Humanities	White	Male
Du Preez, CC	C1	Bloemfontein	Soil, Crop and Climate Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Duvenhage, MM	Y2	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Engelbrecht, M	C2	Bloemfontein	Centre for Health Systems Research and Development	Humanities	White	Female
Erasmus, E	C3	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Esterhuyse, KGF	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Psychology	Humanities	White	Male
Esterhuyse, S	C2	Bloemfontein	Centre for Environmental Management	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Finkelstein, MS	A1	Bloemfontein	Department of Mathematical Statistics and Actuarial Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Fouche, JP	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Psychology	Humanities	White	Male
Franke, AC	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Soil, Crop and Climate Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Gauert, CDK	C2	Bloemfintein	Geology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Ghosh, S	C3	Bloemfontein	Microbiology and biochemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Indian	Male
Glenn IE	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Communication Science	Humanities	White	Male
Gomo, M	C2	Bloemfontein	Institute for Groundwater Studies	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male

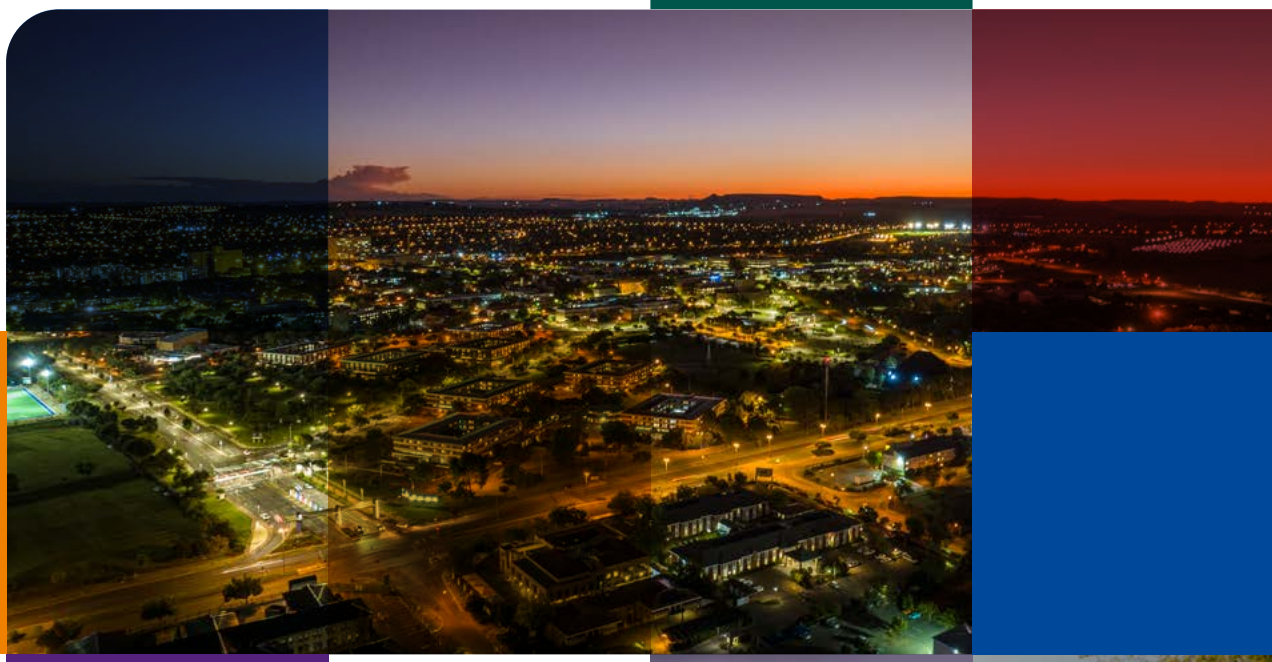
Rated Researcher	Rating	Campus	Department	Faculty	Race	Gender
Graham, M	C2	Bloemfontein	International Studies Group	Humanities	White	Male
Grilli, MG	P	Bloemfontein	Centre For Africa Studies	Humanities	White	Male
Grobler, JP	C2	Bloemfontein	Genetics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Gryzenhout, M	C1	Bloemfontein	Genetics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Haddad, CR	C1	Bloemfontein	Zoology & Entomology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Harris, RA	C1	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Heunis, JC	C2	Bloemfontein	Centre for Health Systems Research and Development	Humanities	White	Male
Holmstedt, RD	C2	Bloemfontein	Hebrew Department	Humanities	White	Male
Horn, K	C2	Bloemfontein	International Studies Group	Humanities	White	Female
Houliston, D	A1	Bloemfontein	Department of English	Humanities	White	Male
Hugo, L	Y2	Bloemfontein	School of Nursing	Health Sciences	White	Female
Hugo, CJ	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biochemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Jacobs, L	C2	Office for International Affiars	Office for International Affairs	Office for International Affairs	White	Female
Janse van Rensburg, W	Y2	Bloemfontein	School of Biomedical Science	Health Sciences	White	Male
Johnson, A	C1	Bloemfontein	Odeon School of Music	Humanities	White	Male
Kamga, SAD	C1	Bloemfontein	Office of the Dean: Law	Law	Black	Male
Kigozi, NG	C3	Bloemfontein	Centre Health Systems & Research and Development	Humanities	Black	Female
Klaasen, JS	C2	Bloemfontein	Office Of The Dean: Theology And Religion	Theology	Coloured	Male
Koao, L	C2	QwaQwa	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Kotze, JE	C3	Bloemfontein	Computer Science and Informatics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Kotze, E	C2	Bloemfontein	Soil, Crop and Climate Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Krishnan, A	Y1	Bloemfontein	Chemical Pathology	Health Sciences	Asian	Male
Kroon, RE	C2	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Kroukamp, HJ	C3	Bloemfontein	Public Administration And Management	Economic & Management Sciences	White	Male
Kruger, FJ	Y2	Bloemfontein	Office for International Affiars	Office for International Affairs	White	Male
Labuschagne, MT	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Plant Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Langner, EHG	C2	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural SciencesWhite	White	Male
Law, V	C1	Bloemfontein	International Studies Group	Humanities	White	Female
Le Roux, A	C2	QwaQwa	Zoology and Entomology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Le Roux, JJ	C2	Bloemfontein	Geography	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Lewies, AL	Y2	Bloemfontein	Cardiothoracic Surgery	Health Sciences	White	Female
Loba-Mkole, J-C	C3	Bloemfontein	Hebrew Department	Humanities	Black	Male
Louw, DA	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Psychology	Humanities	White	Male
Lues, L	C3	Bloemfontein	Public Administration And Management	Economic & Management Sciences	White	Female
Malloum, AM	Y1	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Manase, I	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of English	Humanities	Black	Male
Maramura, TC	Y2	Bloemontein	Public Administration And Management	Economic & Management Sciences	Black	Female
Marais, J	B3	Bloemfontein	Department of Linguistics and Language Practice	Humanities	White	Male
Marais, JGL	C1	Bloemfontein	Centre for Development Support	Economic & Management Sciences	White	Male
Masakure, C	C2	Bloemfontein	History	Humanities	Black	Male
Masoga MA	C1	Bloemfontein	Office of the Dean: Humanities	Humanities	Black	Male
Massey, RT	Y2	Bloemfontein	Geography	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Matamanda, RA	Y2	Bloemfontein	Geography	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male

Rated Researcher	Rating	Campus	Department	Faculty	Race	Gender
Matebesi, S	C2	Bloemfontein	Sociology	Humanities	Black	Male
Mathebula, M	Y2	Bloemfontein	Higher Education and Human Development Research Group	Economic & Management Sciences	Black	Female
Matthews, N	Y2	Bloemfontein	Agricultural Economics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Meintjes, PJ	B2	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Melber, HM	B2	Bloemfontein	Centre for Africa Studies	Humanities	White	Male
Miller-Naude, CL	B1	Bloemfontein	Hebrew Department	Humanities	White	Female
Mkwananzi, F	Y1	Bloemfontein	Centre for Development Support	Economic & Management Sciences	Black	Female
Mofokeng, J	Y2	QwaQwa	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Female
Moodley, AA	C2	Bloemfontein	Neurology	Health Sciences	Asian	Male
Moskaleva, LV	C1	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Motaung, D	C2	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Mubangizi, JC	C1	Bloemfontein	Free State Centre For Human Rights	Law	Black	Male
Mukwada, G	C2	QwaQwa	Department of Geography	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Muller, M	Y2	Bloemfontein	School of Education Studies/Curriculum studies and Office for International Affairs	Education	White	Female
Nair G	Y2	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Asian	Male
Naude JA	B3	Bloemfontein	Hebrew Department	Humanities	White	Male
Naude, B	Y2	Bloemfontein	Political Studies and Governance	Humanities	White	Female
Naude, L	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Psychology	Humanities	White	Female
Ndebele, H	Y2	Bloemfontein	African Languages	Humanities	Black	Male
Neethling, TG	C2	Bloemfontein	Political Studies and Governance	Humanities	White	Male
Nel, J	C2	Bloemfontein	Business Management	Economic & Management Sciences	White	Male
Nel, V	C2	Bloemfontein	Urban And Regional Planning	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Neser, FWC	C2	Bloemfontein	Animal Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Ngang, C	Y2	Bloemfontein	Free State Centre For Human Rights	Law	Black	Male
Nkhata, BA	C2	Bloemfontein	Centre For Environmental Management	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Noble, JA	C2	Bloemfontein	Architecture	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Notarius, T	B2	Bloemfontein	Hebrew Department	Humanities	White	Female
Nyaga, M	B3	Bloemfontein	Medical Virology	Health Sciences	Black	Male
Nyambi, O	C1	QwaQwa	Department of English	Humanities	Black	Male
Nyoni, CN	Y2	Bloemfontein	School of Nursing	Health Sciences	Black	Male
Nzima, D	Y2	Qwa Qwa	Sociology	Humanities	Black	Male
Oberholster, P	C1	Bloemfontein	Office of the Dean: Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Ocaya, RO	C3	QwaQwa	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Ogundeji, AA	Y2	Bloemfontein	Agricultural Economics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Ogunnubi, OR	Y2	Bloemfontein	Centre for Africa Studies	Humanities	Black	Male
Oldewage-Theron, W	C2	Bloemfontein	Sustainable Food Systems And Development	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Olivier, G	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Philosophy	Humanities	White	Male
Ololade, O	C2	Bloemfontein	Centre for Environmental Management	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Female
O'Neill, HG	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biochemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Opperman, DJ	B3	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biochemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Osthoff, G	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biomedical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Otomo, PV	C2	QwaQwa	Zoology and Entomology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Peters, WH	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Architecture	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male

Rated Researcher	Rating	Campus	Department	Faculty	Race	Gender
Petrus, TS	C3	Bloemfontein	Anthropology	Humanities	Black	Male
Pilosoff, R	B3	Bloemfontein	International Studies Group	Humanities	White	Male
Pohl-Albertyn, CH	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of microbial, biochemical and food biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Pretorius, ZA	B1	Bloemfontein	Department of Plant Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Rabe, ME	C2	Bloemfontein	Office of the Dean: Teaching and Learning	Humanities	White	Female
Reilly, B	C3	Bloemfontein	Genetics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Reddy, V	B1	Bloemfontein	DVC: Research and Internationalisation	Top Management	Indian	Male
Reyneke, M	C2	Bloemfontein	Public Law	Law	White	Female
Roelofse, F	C2	Bloemfontein	Geology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Rhoda, AJ	C1	Bloemfontein	DVC: Academic	Top Management	White	Female
Rossouw, JH	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Philosophy	Humanities	White	Male
Rossouw, MP	Y2	Bloemfontein	Art History and Image studies	Humanities	White	Male
Sands, JS	Y2	Bloemfontein	Historical and Constructive Theology	Theology	White	Male
Schoeman, WJ	C2	Bloemfontein	Practical And Missional Theology	Theology	White	Male
Schoeman, Y	Y2	Bloemfontein	Center for Environmental Management	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Schutte-Smith, M	Y2	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Scott, L	B1	Bloemfontein	Department of Plant Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Sebolai, OM	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biochemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Seedat, RY	C2	Bloemfontein	Otorhinolaryngology	Health Sciences	White	Male
Sempa, J	C3	Bloemfontein	Biostatistics	Health Sciences	Black	Male
Senekal, B	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Computer Science & Informatics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Smit, DM	C3	Bloemfontein	Mercantile Law	Law	White	Female
Smit, MS	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biochemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Smith , BS	C2	Bloemfontein	Private Law	Law	White	Male
Solomon, H	B3	Bloemfontein	Department of Political Sciences	Humanities	Coloured	Male
Steenhuisen, SL	C2	QwaQwa	Department of Plant Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Stevenson, ALS	Y1	Bloemfontein	International Studies Group	Humanities	White	Female
Steyn-Kotze, J	C2	Bloemfontein	Centre for Africa Studies	Humanities	White	Female
Stott, AE	C2	Bloemfontein	School Of Mathematics Natural Sciences And Technology Education	Education	White	Female
Strauss, HJ	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of English	Humanities	White	Female
Strydom, D	C3	Bloemfontein	Odeion School of Music	Humanities	White	Male
Sutton, L	Y2	Bloemfontein	Old And New Testament Studies	Theology	White	Male
Swart, HC	B1	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Swartz, R	Y1	Bloemfontein	History	Humanities	White	Female
Taylor, PJ	B2	QwaQwa	Zoology and Entomology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Terblans, JJ	C1	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Tsakeni, M	C2	Bloemfontein	School Of Mathematics Natural Sciences And Technology Education	Education	Black	Female
Terefe, YA	C3	Bloemfontein	Mathematics and Applied Mathematics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Tesfuhuney, WA	C2	Bloemfontein	Soil And Crop And Climate Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Coloured	Male
Tiloke, C	Y2	Bloemfontein	Basic Medical Sciences	Health Sciences	Black	Female
Tolmie, DF	B3	Bloemfontein	Old And New Testament Studies	Theology	White	Male
Truter, WF	C2	Bloemfontein	Centre For Environmental Management	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Turok, I	B1	Bloemfontein	Department of Economics	Economic & Management Sciences	White	Male

Rated Researcher	Rating	Campus	Department	Faculty	Race	Gender
Ullrich, C	Y1	Bloemfontein	Historical and Constructive Theology	Theology	White	Mlae
Urbaniak, JM	C2	Bloemfontein	Historical and Constructive Theology	Theology	White	Male
Valverde-Portal, A	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Microbial, Biochemical and Food Biotechnology	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Van Coller, HP	C1	Bloemfontein	Afrikaans, Dutch, German and French	Humanities	White	Male
Van den Berg VL	C2	Bloemfontein	Dietetics and Nutrition	Health Sciences	White	Female
Van der Merwe, AJ	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Mathematical Statistics and Actuarial Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Van der Watt, JG	B1	Bloemfontein	Old and New Testament Studies	Theology	White	Male
Van Huyssteen, CW	C1	Bloemfontein	Soil, Crop and Climate Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Van Jaarsveld, A	C2	Bloemfontein	Drama and Theatre Arts	Humanities	White	Female
Van Niekerk, A	C2	Bloemfontein	Afrikaans and Dutch, German and French	Humanities	White	Female
Van Soelen, B	Y1	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Van Tol, JJ	C2	Bloemfontein	Soil, Crop and Climate Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Van Wyk, JB	C2	Bloemfontein	Animal Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Vermeulen, PD	C2	Bloemfontein	Institute for Groudwater Studies	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Verster, A	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Mathematical Statistics and Actuarial Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Verster, P	C2	Bloemfontein	Practical And Missional Theology	Theology	White	Male
Vetrik, T	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Mathematics and Applied Mathematics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Visser, B	C1	Bloemfontein	Department of Plant Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Visser, HG	C1	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Von Eschwege, KG	C2	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Male
Walker, MJ	A1	Bloemfontein	Centre For Development Support	Economic and Management Sciences	White	Female
Walker, S	B3	Bloemfontein	Department of Soil, Crop and Climate Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Walsh, CM	C2	Bloemfontein	Human Nutrition	Health Sciences	White	Female
Wario, RD	C3	QwaQwa	Computer Science	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Female
Weideman, AJ	C1	Bloemfontein	Deparment of English	Humanities	White	Male
Weldeslassie, T	C2	Bloemfontein	Department of Soil, Crop and Climate Sciences	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Male
Wilhelm, A	Y2	Bloemfontein	Chemistry	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Williams, CA	C2	Bloemfontein	Anthropology	Humanities	White	Male
Wium, MJ	C2	Bloemfontein	Odeion School of Music	Humanities	White	Female
Witthuhn, RC	C2	Bloemfontein	Sustainable Food Systems And Development	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	White	Female
Yagoub, MYA	C2	Bloemfontein	Physics	Natural and Agricultural Sciences	Black	Female
Zondi, NB	C2	Bloemfontein	Office of the Dean: Research And Postgraduate Studies	Humanities	Black	Female

Note: The information provided is as in March 2024.



ACADEMIC INFORMATION

UNLOCK YOUR POTENTIAL ACROSS DIVERSE DISCIPLINES AT THE UFS!

At the University of the Free State, your academic aspirations take centre stage. With seven distinct faculties – each offering a unique array of postgraduate programmes – we cater for a wide spectrum of interests and careers. From the sciences to the arts, our faculties are gateways to your future, each with tailored admission criteria designed to pave the most conducive path for your academic journey.

The faculties are:

- Economic and Management Sciences
- Education
- Health Sciences
- Law
- Natural and Agricultural Sciences
- The Humanities
- Theology and Religion

Abbreviations:

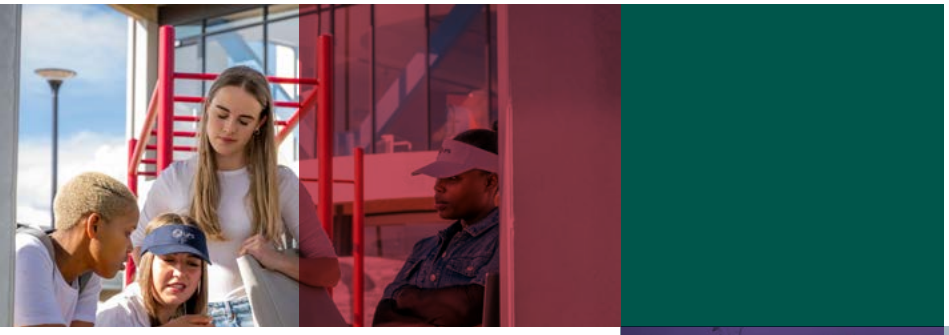
NSC	National Senior Certificate
AP	Admission Point
BC	Bloemfontein Campus
QC	Qwaqwa Campus
N/A	Not Applicable

Closing Dates:

International applications:
31 August

Honours (unless otherwise indicated):
31 September

PGDips (unless otherwise indicated):
31 September



APPLICATION PROCESS

Prospective students are advised to visit the department in the faculty of your chosen field to understand the specific application process, as requirements vary by faculty. Please note that certain departments mandate direct communication with the programme director prior to application, while others may request that you submit your application directly. It is essential to follow the respective guidelines to ensure a smooth application process.

If you encounter any difficulties, please do not hesitate to contact us at **postgradmarketing@ufs.ac.za** for immediate assistance. We are here to ensure a smooth and efficient experience for you.

Kindly take note of the following:

- International postgraduate students must attach certified copies of degrees/certificates to their applications. Degrees/certificates that are not certified will delay the processing of applications. In addition, proof of application for a SAQA Certificate of Evaluation relating to all qualifications obtained outside South Africa must be attached.

- Students transferring from other universities are required to provide a certificate of conduct and a complete study record from their former institution when submitting their application. Please be aware that application deadlines may vary depending on the faculty to which you are applying. Adherence to these timelines is crucial for the evaluation of your application.

For application and admission of postgraduate related queries, please contact: UFSPostgradAdmin@ufs.ac.za

Comprehensive information on the visa application process is available in the International Student Guide, which you can download at:

International postgraduate applicants are mandated to submit certified copies of their degrees/certificates and academic transcripts, alongside their applications. Moreover, we require international applicants to include proof of their application for a SAQA (South African Qualifications Authority) Certificate of Evaluation for all qualifications earned outside of South Africa. This step is vital for the assessment of your international qualifications and should be completed without delay to ensure a smooth application process.

As an international student, once your application evaluation has been concluded and you meet the programme requirements, you will receive a letter from the Office for International Affairs that serves as a supporting document for your study visa application where necessary. Visit the South African embassy/consulate/high commission in your home country with the above letters, as well as your passport, to apply for your visa. Please be advised that your study-permit application can take more than six weeks to be finalised. Please contact the Office for International Affairs should you experience challenges or delays with the visa application process.

APPLICATION AND ADMISSION OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

EVALUATION OF FOREIGN QUALIFICATIONS

Postgraduate applicants must have all previous post-school qualifications verified by the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA). Proof of application for a SAQA Certificate of Evaluation relating to all qualifications obtained outside South Africa must be attached. Postgraduate students may not be able to register without the SAQA verification. Please contact the Office for International Affairs: Matladi Tsoeu, E: oiastudentadmin@ufs.ac.za | T: +27 51 401 7207, should you experience delays with the SAQA process.

SAQA contact details:

Evaluation of Foreign Qualifications call centre:
T: +27 12 431 5070 or alternatively send an email to:
customercare@saqa.org.za
Helpdesk: +27 860 111 673
Switchboard: +27 12 431 5000
Fax: +27 12 431 5147

Street address:
SAQA House, 1067 Arcadia Street, Hatfield Pretoria

Postal address:
Postnet Suite 248, Private Bag X06, Waterkloof, 0145

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS

For detailed information, consult the International Student Guide.

ALL INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ARE ADVISED TO TAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING:

Administrative fee: A non-refundable administrative fee is charged on all international student accounts. For more information, visit: https://www.ufs.ac.za/docs/librariesprovider31/2014-prospective-students-documents/fees-yearbook-2024.pdf?Status=Master&sfvrsn=8c670f20_3

Closing date: The closing date for applications regarding honours and master's with coursework is **31 August 2025** unless otherwise stipulated in this document. Contact the faculty of your intended postgraduate study for more details.

Visa: You must have a valid study visa before you can enter South Africa. Make sure your study visa is issued to study at the UFS and not at any other institution in South Africa. You must have a valid and appropriate/correct visa to be registered at the UFS. Applications may take more than six weeks to process; please contact the Office for International Affairs immediately if you experience any challenges or delays. See below for more information.

Accommodation: For full-time studies, you must have a letter from Housing and Residence Affairs confirming accommodation. This letter is required for your visa application to study at the UFS. Contact resapplications@ufs.ac.za for assistance.

Medical Aid: You must be a member of a medical aid registered in terms of the Medical Schemes Act 1998 of South Africa, as required by the South African Immigration Act. Please note that your medical-aid cover **MUST** be valid for 12 months, renewable every year for the duration of your studies at the UFS. No travel insurance or hospital plans will be accepted. See below for more information.

First payment: A first payment must be made before you can register as a UFS student. The Department of Student Finance will communicate the amount and the payment deadline to you. For further details, visit https://www.ufs.ac.za/kovsielife/unlisted- pages/tuition-fees/tuition-fees-30

Scholarships/Bursaries/Sponsorships: If you have a scholarship, inform your sponsor of the UFS regulations on payments before you register and pay tuition fees.

Applicants who are in possession of a degree from non-South African universities must include the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA) evaluation letter or proof of application for evaluation to SAQA with their application form. Non-South African certificates/degrees must be assessed by SAQA prior to registering at the UFS. This process can take anything from **two to three months**. Visit www.saqa.org.za for more information.

STUDY VISAS

If you are a foreign student and wish to study in South Africa, you can apply for a study visa by completing South African Home Affairs Form BI-1738. Study visas must be applied for at VFS Global Centres at various locations in South Africa or at the nearest South African embassy, mission, or consulate abroad; prospective students are responsible for the payment of the relevant fees. Study visas for studies at a learning institution must be valid for the duration of the study.

The following documents must be submitted with the **BI-1738 application** form:

- a passport valid for no less than 30 days after intended studies
- payment of the prescribed administrative fee
- confirmation and proof of payment for a South African medical aid through a medical scheme registered with the SA Council for Medical Schemes; the cover must remain valid for the duration of the calendar year
- letter of offer from the university, stating the duration of the degree
- letter of undertaking from the university – this letter is issued by the Office for International Affairs; contact Jeanne Niemann: E: niemannja@ufs.ac.za | T: +27 51 401 3219.
- medical and radiological reports (less than six months old)
- yellow fever vaccination certificate, if relevant
- relevant certificates if married, widowed, divorced, or separated
- details regarding arranged accommodation while in South Africa
- proof of sufficient funds to cover tuition fees and maintenance
- a police clearance certificate for the past 12 months or longer since the age of 18.

You are advised to submit the documentation as soon as possible. DO NOT send the documentation to the university. You should keep a copy of your submission and all receipts safe. Please note that it can take longer than six weeks to obtain a study visa.

Please note that the holder of a study visa may conduct part-time work for a period not exceeding 20 hours per week.

The closing dates for Hons, PGDip, and Advanced Diploma is 31 August 2025

OFFICE FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

The Office for International Affairs (OIA) serves as the first port of call for all international students at the UFS, providing assistance and specialised administrative support. The principal purpose of the OIA is to enable internationalisation at the UFS. It renders strategic advice on internationalisation and supports the international activities of internal UFS stakeholders. It supports international partnerships, research internationalisation, internationalisation-at-home activities, and student exchanges.

The services include, but are not limited to

- specialised services for international students, and ensuring their compliance with relevant legislation;
- facilitation of international partnerships and advice to internal stakeholders on partnership processes;
- providing practical and emotional support for international students;
- structuring co-curricular internationalisation-at-home activities, such as cultural diversity celebrations;
- supporting co-curricular internationalisation-at-home activities and the social integration of international students; and
- liaison with various external stakeholders, i.e., government, embassies in South Africa, science councils, and funding agencies.

PROCESSES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

STEP 1 Apply to the UFS at https://apply.ufs.ac.za/

STEP 2 Receive the offer to study

STEP 3 Accept the offer online

STEP 4 Contact the Office for International Affairs (Jeanne Niemann, E: niemannaja@ufs.ac.za, phone +27 51 401 3219) to issue a letter of undertaking to apply for a visa (only if you are a full-time student)

STEP 5 Apply for membership of a registered medical aid in South Africa (only if you are a full-time student)

STEP 6 Apply for a study visa at the nearest SA embassy / consulate / mission

STEP 7 Once your visa has been issued, please submit documentation (confirmation of medical aid, passport, and visa) to the Office for International Affairs. Contact Jeanne Niemann or Letlela Tshabalala for further assistance.

WHERE CAN YOU FIND THE OFFICE FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS?

Our offices are located on the second floor of the Theology Building on the Bloemfontein Campus and on the second floor of the Intsika Building on the Qwaqwa Campus.

IF YOU NEED MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE RELEVANT PERSON:

Immigration, accreditation, medical aid, finances, and student administration:
Jeanne Niemann: +27 51 401 3219 | niemannaja@ufs.ac.za
Letlela Tshabalala: +27 51 401 9032 | TshabalalaL@ufs.ac.za
Matladi Tsoeu: +27 51 401 7207 | oiastudentadmin@ufs.ac.za

Incoming exchange students, internationalisation@home coordinator:
Assistant Director, Bulelwa Moikwatlhai: +27 51 401 9436 | malob@ufs.ac.za

International Office, Qwaqwa Campus:
Assistant Director, Bulelwa Moikwatlhai: +27 51 401 9436 | malob@ufs.ac.za
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T: +27 58 718 5115 | oiastudentadmin@ufs.ac.za

FACULTY OF ECONOMIC AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

Enquiries: Simone Williams | T: +27 51 401 3825 | E: emsapplications@ufs.ac.za

THE FOLLOWING POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED ON THE BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS:

(Please note that these programmes will not be offered if, at the sole discretion of the UFS, a sufficient number of enrolments cannot be secured to render the programme sustainable).

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Coursework	Full time
Development Studies	BC657070	Yes	Full time
Public Administration	BC654040	Yes	Full time
General Accountancy	BC655050	Yes	Full time
Chartered Accountancy	BC656060	Yes	Full time

BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (BCom) HONOURS AND BACHELOR OF ADMINISTRATION (BAdmin) HONOURS DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Taught and Mini Dissertation	Part time / Full time
BCom Honours with specialisation in Business Management	BC660012	Yes	Full time
BCom Honours with specialisation in Economics	BC660020	Yes	Full time
BCom Honours with specialisation in Marketing	BC660010	Yes	Full time
BCom Honours with specialisation in Finance	BC660022	Yes	Full time
BCom Honours with specialisation in Industrial Psychology	BC660031	Yes	Full time
BCom Honours with specialisation in Business and Financial Analytics	BC660024	Yes	Full time
BAdmin Honours	BC664040	Yes	Full time
BCom Honours in Accounting	BC665050	Yes	Full time
BCom Honours in Management Accounting	BC665052	Yes	Full time
BCom Honours in Taxation	BC665053	Yes	Full time
Bachelor of Accounting Honours	BC666060	Yes	Full time

MASTER OF COMMERCE (MCom) DEGREES BY STRUCTURED/DISSERTATION WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Structured	Part time / Full time
Economics	BC670020	Yes	Full time
Finance	BC670022	Yes	Full time
Business and Financial Analytics	BC670024	Yes	Full time
Master of Industrial Psychology	BC673101	Yes	Full time
Master of Public Administration	BC674040	Yes	Full time
Master of Development Studies – option A	BC677178	Yes	Full time
Master of Development Studies – option B	BC677179	Yes	Full time

Note: Structured programmes are contact sessions. Depending on the programme, these contact sessions may take the form of weekly classes, block sessions, and/or online sessions. Kindly contact the relevant head of department, director, or programme director for guidance.

MASTER OF COMMERCE (MCom) DEGREES BY RESEARCH WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Research	Part time / Full time
Economics	BC680020	Yes	Full time
Finance	BC680022	Yes	Full time
Business and Financial Analytics	BC680024	Yes	Full time
Business Management	BC680013	Yes	Full time
Industrial Psychology	BC680031	Yes	Full time
Master of Administration	BC684040	Yes	Full time
Master of Commerce with specialisation in Financial Accounting	BC685051	Yes	Full time
Master of Commerce with specialisation in Management Accounting	BC685052	Yes	Full time
Master of Commerce with specialisation in Taxation	BC685053	Yes	Full time
Master of Commerce with specialisation in Auditing	BC685054	Yes	Full time
Master of Accounting with specialisation in Financial Accounting	BC686061	Yes	Full time
Master of Accounting with specialisation in Management Accounting	BC686062	Yes	Full time
Master of Accounting with specialisation in Taxation	BC686063	Yes	Full time
Master of Accounting with specialisation in Auditing	BC686064	Yes	Full time
Master of Development Studies	BC687171	Yes	Full time

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Phd) DEGREES WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Thesis	Part time / Full time
Auditing	BC690064	Yes	Full time
Business and Financial Analytics	BC690024	Yes	Full time
Business Management	BC690013	Yes	Full time
Development Studies	BC690071	Yes	Full time
Economics	BC690020	Yes	Full time
Finance	BC690025	Yes	Full time
Financial Accounting	BC690061	Yes	Full time
Industrial Psychology	BC690031	Yes	Full time
Management Accounting	BC690062	Yes	Full time
Public Administration and Management	BC690040	Yes	Full time
Taxation	BC690063	Yes	Full time

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED ON THE QWAQWA CAMPUS:

MASTER'S DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Structured	Part time / Full time
Master of Administration	QC684040	Yes	Full time

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Phd) DEGREES WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Thesis	Part time / Full time
Economics	QC690020	Yes	Full time
Industrial Psychology	QC690031	Yes	Full time
Public Administration	QC690040	Yes	Full time

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED IN THE UFS BUSINESS SCHOOL ON THE BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS:

Enquiries: Adéle Kotze: T: +27 51 401 7303 | E:kotzea2@ufs.ac.za

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Contact sessions
Postgraduate Diploma in Business Administration *https://www.ufs.ac.za/bus/ufs-business-school-home/academic-information/postgradute-diploma-in- business-administration*	BC658100	Yes
Master of Business Administration *https://www.ufs.ac.za/bus/ufs-business-school- home/academic-information/ master-of-busi-ness- administration*	BC678100	Yes
Doctor of Philosophy with specialisation in Business Administration *https://www.ufs.ac.za/bus/ufs-business-school-home/academic-information/philisophiae-doctoral-in- business-administration*	BC690100	Yes

MODE OF DELIVERY

The instructional mode of delivery for the UFS Business School follows a blended learning approach with a variety of student interactions using both contact and online learning. Students are required to attend a contact week (Monday-Friday) in the Business School on the Bloemfontein Campus each semester.

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

THE FOLLOWING POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED ON THE BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS:

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN EDUCATION (PGCE)

Enquiries: Dr Angela Stott: E: BloemfonteinPGCE@ufs.ac.za | Eduinfo@ufs.ac.za

This certificate allows a graduate student to obtain a teaching qualification for the senior and FET phase (Grade 8-12).

Two programme options exist: the PGCE in FET, where a holder will be qualified to teach two content subjects up to the further education and training phase, and the PGCE in senior and FET, where a holder will be competent to teach one subject up to senior phase and one subject up to FET phase.

Career Opportunities
The PGCE programme is appropriate for teaching in secondary schools.

PGCE admission requirements
Admission to the PGCE (Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching, OR Further Education Phase) is subject to the UFS General Rules and Regulations (2025).

The following minimum requirements apply:
An approved bachelor's degree that exits at NQF Level 7, or equivalent. This bachelor's degree must include at least 128 credits – of which 32 credits are on NQF Level 7 – in two appropriate disciplines, to specialise in at least one FET school subject and one Senior Phase subject.

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN EDUCATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Contact session	Part time/Full time
Senior and FET Phase	BC737500	Yes	Full time (1 year)
FET Phase	BC736500	Yes	Full time (1 year)

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN HIGHER EDUCATION:

Enquiries: Carike Swart | T: +27 51 401 9922 | E: swartgc@ufs.ac.za

The purpose of the Postgraduate Diploma in Higher Education Studies is to facilitate the professional development of lecturers at universities, colleges, and private institutions offering higher or post-secondary adult education and training, as critical, reflexive practitioners in higher education by developing their knowledge of Higher Education (HE) as a field of study. Therefore, students wishing to study towards this diploma must be in a teaching and learning position in a higher education institution, because the compulsory assessment to be completed is of a practical nature (i.e., requiring prospective students to be a practising lecturer). Additionally, this qualification demands a high level of theoretical engagement and intellectual independence, enabling working professional educators to involve themselves in advanced reflection and development by means of a systematic survey of current thinking, practice, and research methods.

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Admission requirements:
To be admitted to this diploma, a student must hold a relevant qualification on NQF Level 7 and have current experience in a teaching

and learning environment within higher education, according to HEQSF definitions:

- An approved and recognised four-year BEd; or
- a three-year general bachelor's degree capped by a PGCE (or equivalent) / 120 credit Level 7 Diploma in Education in a cognate specification; or
- a preceding cognate qualification(s) that meet NQF exit Level 7 outcomes; or
- a preceding qualification(s) which, in exceptional cases, is approved by assessment of prior learning, provided they meet NFQ exit level outcomes.

Additional Requirements

- Minimum of 60% average in preceding degree or 65% in a preceding diploma.
- Students must be computer and internet literate to be successful in this programme.
- Subject to selection.
- Experience in a higher education environment will be required for the PGDip in Higher Education.
- This qualification will only be offered if, at the discretion of the faculty, a sufficient number of enrolments can be secured to render the programme sustainable.

Duration of study

- The Postgraduate Diploma in Higher Education Studies can be completed within a minimum period of two years' part-time study.
- Classes are once a month on a Friday (blended approach).

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact sessions/ coursework/ dissertation	Part time/Full time
Postgraduate Diploma in Higher Education	BC754147	2 years	Contact session (blended approach)	Part time

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION HONOURS (BEdHons) DEGREES:

Enquiries: Carike Swart | T: +27 51 401 9922 | E: swartgc@ufs.ac.za

Admission requirements

- The general rules of the university in respect of admission to Bachelor Honours degrees (according to HEQSF) are applicable to this degree.
- To be admitted to BEdHons study, a student must have an acknowledged qualification on NQF Level 7, e.g.:
- a four-year professional teaching degree such as a Bachelor of Education, with a minimum of 480 credits, OR
- an appropriate bachelor's degree such as a BSc or a BCom, AND a recognised professional teaching qualification such as a PGCE, OR
- a four-year professional teaching qualification AND an Advanced Diploma in a cognate sub-field of Education, with a minimum of 120 credits.

Additional requirements

- Minimum of 60% average in preceding degree or 65% in a preceding diploma.
- Students who completed a degree with an average of 65% and above will be given preference.
- Students have to be computer and internet literate to be successful in this programme.
- Subject to selection.

This qualification will only be offered if, at the discretion of the faculty, a sufficient number of enrolments can be secured to render the programme sustainable.

Additional requirements for BEdHons with specialisation in Psychology of Education

- Admission to this programme requires Psychology up to second-year level. This degree is not for registration with the HPCSA.

Additional requirements for BEdHons with specialisation in Early Childhood Development and Learning

- Admission to this programme requires a Foundation Phase Teaching qualification.

Duration of study

- The Bachelor of Education Honours degree may be completed within a minimum period of one year of full-time study or two years' part-time study.

The BEdHons classes will be face-to-face for the foreseeable future, as we do not offer any distance-learning BEdHons programmes.

BEd HONOURS DEGREES WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Contact session	Full time / Part time
Early Childhood Development and Learning	BC760081	Yes	Both
Management and Governance	BC760083	Yes	Both
Curriculum Studies	BC760089	Yes	Both
Psychology of Education	BC760092	Yes	Both

MASTER OF EDUCATION (MEd) DEGREE:

Enquiries: Christa Duvenhage | T: +27 51 401 3651 | E: DuvenhageCS@ufs.ac.za

Admission requirements:

- An appropriate qualification (e.g., BEdHons) on NQF Level 8 with a minimum average pass mark of 60%.
- A Bachelor of Education Honours degree or appropriate 480-credit Level 8 professional bachelor's degree (e.g., a Bachelor of Psychology degree + PGCE) OR
- a relevant bachelor's honours degree + PGCE OR
- a postgraduate diploma may also be recognised as meeting the minimum entry requirements for a cognate Master of Education degree programme if it meets the HEQSF research requirements of at least 30 credits.
- To be admitted to the master's programme in Higher Education Studies, you need to be working at a higher education institution on a full-time basis.
- Submission of an acceptable research proposal.
- Admission is subject to selection.
- Requirements for MEd with specialisation in Mathematics or Science and Technology
  - Students will be selected for these programmes taking into consideration their fields of specialisation, previous experience and academic achievement.

Applications open 1 April and close 30 September.

This course requires the successful completion of a full dissertation or two (2) interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles under the supervision of a supervisor within the minimum duration of one year full-time or two years part-time study.

MEd DEGREE WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Dissertation/ Two interrelated publishable articles	Part time/Full time
Community Psychology in Education**	BC780080	Yes	Both
Early Childhood Development and Learning	BC780081	Yes	Both
Education Law	BC780082	Yes	Both
Education Management and Leadership	BC780083	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Languages	BC780084	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Mathematics***	BC780085	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Natural Sciences	BC780086	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Science and Technology***	BC780087	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Social Sciences	BC780088	Yes	Both
Curriculum Studies	BC780089	Yes	Both
Policy Studies in Education	BC780090	Yes	Both
Philosophy of Education	BC780091	Yes	Both
Psychology of Education**	BC780092	Yes	Both
Comparative Education	BC780093	Yes	Both
Higher Education Studies*	BC780094	Yes	Both
Master of Higher Education Studies****	BC780047	Yes	Both

Notes: *Previous education qualification required.
**You cannot register with the HPCSA with this qualification.
***Students will be selected after taking into consideration their fields of specialisation, previous experience and academic achievement.
****No previous education qualification required.

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD) IN EDUCATION:

Enquiries: Christa Duvenhage | T: +27 51 401 3651 | E: DuvenhageCS@ufs.ac.za

Admission requirements:

- An appropriate qualification (e.g., MEd) on NQF Level 9 (180 credits) with a minimum average pass mark of 65%.
- To be admitted to the PhD programme of study with specialisation in Higher Education Studies, the student must be working at a higher education institution on a full-time basis.
- The submission of an acceptable research proposal.
- Admission is subject to selection.

Applications open 1 April and close 30 September.

This course requires the successful completion of a full thesis or at least three (3) interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles under the supervision of a supervisor within the minimum duration of two years (four semesters) full-time or four years part-time study.

PhD DEGREES IN EDUCATION WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Thesis/ Three interrelated publishable articles	Part time/Full time
Community Psychology of Education*	BC798880	Yes	Both
Comparative Education and International Studies	BC798893	Yes	Both
Curriculum Studies	BC798889	Yes	Both
Early Childhood Development and Learning	BC798881	Yes	Both
Educational Law	BC798882	Yes	Both
Education Management and Leadership	BC798883	Yes	Both
Higher Education Studies	BC798894	Yes	Both
Philosophy of Education	BC798891	Yes	Both
Policy Studies in Education	BC798890	Yes	Both
Psychology of Education*	BC798892	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Science and Technology*	BC798887	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Languages	BC798884	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Mathematics**	BC798885	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Natural Sciences	BC798886	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Social Sciences	BC798888	Yes	Both

Notes:
*You cannot register with the HPCSA with this qualification.
**Students will be selected for these programmes taking into consideration their field of specialisation, previous experiences, and academic achievement.

THE FOLLOWING BEd PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED ON THE QWAQWA CAMPUS:

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN EDUCATION (PGCE)

Enquiries: Dr RK Mukuna: E: mukunaKR@ufs.ac.za | Eduinfo@ufs.ac.za

This certificate allows a graduate student to obtain a teaching qualification for the senior and FET phase (Grade 8-12).

Two programme options exist: the PGCE in FET, where a holder will be qualified to teach two content subjects up to the further education and training phase, and the PGCE in senior and FET, where a holder will be competent to teach one subject up to senior phase and one subject up to FET phase.

Career Opportunities

The PGCE programme is appropriate for teaching in secondary schools.

PGCE Admission Requirements

Admission to the PGCE (Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching, OR Further Education Phase) is subject to the UFS General Rules and Regulations (2024).

The following minimum requirements apply:

An approved bachelor's degree that exits at NQF Level 7, or equivalent. This bachelor's degree must include at least 128 credits – of which 32 credits are on NQF Level 7 – in two appropriate disciplines, to specialise in at least **one** FET school subject and **one** Senior Phase subject.

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN EDUCATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Contact session	Full time / Part time
Senior and FET Phase	QC737500	Yes	Full time (1 year)
FET Phase	QC736500	Yes	Full time (1 year)

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION HONOURS (BEdhons) DEGREES:

Enquiries: Carike Swart | T: +27 51 401 9922 | E: swartgc@ufs.ac.za | T Maitse | T: +27 58 718 5095 | E: maitsett@ufs.ac.za
Dr N Mpalami | T: +27 58 718 5001 | E: MpalamiN@ufs.ac.za

Admission requirements:

- The general rules of the university in respect of admission to Bachelor Honours degrees (according to HEQSF) are applicable to this degree.
- To be admitted to BEdHons study, a student must have an acknowledged qualification on NQF Level 7, e.g.:
- a four-year professional teaching degree such as a Bachelor of Education, with a minimum of 480 credits, OR
- an appropriate bachelor's degree such as a BSc or a BCom, AND a recognised professional teaching qualification such as a PGCE, OR
- a four-year professional teaching qualification AND an Advanced Diploma in a cognate sub-field of Education, with a minimum of 120 credits.

Additional requirements

- Minimum of 60% average in preceding degree or 65% in a preceding diploma.
- Students who have completed a degree with an average of 65% and above will be given preference.
- Students have to be computer and internet literate to be successful in this programme.
- Subject to selection.
- This qualification will only be offered if, at the discretion of the faculty, a sufficient number of enrolments can be secured to render the programme sustainable.

Additional requirements for BEdHons with specialisation in Psychology of Education

- Admission to this programme requires Psychology up to second-year level.
- This degree is not for registration with the HPCSA.

Additional requirements for BEd Hons with specialisation in Early Childhood Development and Learning

- Admission to this programme requires a Foundation Phase Teaching qualification.

Duration of study

- The Bachelor of Education Honours degree may be completed within a minimum period of one year of full-time study or two years' part-time study.
- The BEdHons classes will be face-to-face for the foreseeable future, as we do not offer any distance-learning BEdHons programmes.

BEd HONOURS DEGREES WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Contact session	Full time / Part time
Early Childhood Development and Learning*	QC760081	Yes	Both
Management and Governance	QC760083	Yes	Both
Curriculum Studies	QC760089	Yes	Both
Psychology of Education	QC760092	Yes	Both

MASTER OF EDUCATION (MEd) DEGREE:

Admission requirements

- An appropriate qualification (e.g., BEdHons) on NQF Level 8 (128 credits) with a minimum average pass mark of 60%.
- A Bachelor of Education Honours degree or appropriate 480-credit Level 8 professional bachelor's degree (e.g., a Bachelor of Psychology degree + PGCE) OR
- a relevant bachelor honours degree + PGCE OR
- a postgraduate diploma may also be recognised as meeting the minimum entry requirements for a cognate Master of Education degree programme if it meets the HEQSF research requirements of at least 30 credits.
- To be admitted to the master's programme in Higher Education Studies, you need to be working at a higher education institution on a full-time basis.
- Submission of an acceptable research proposal.
- Admission is subject to selection.

Requirements for MEd with specialisation in Mathematics or Science and Technology

Students will be selected for these programmes taking into consideration their fields of specialisation, previous experience and academic achievement.

Applications open 1 April and close 30 September.

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MEd DEGREES WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Dissertation/ Two interrelated publishable articles	Full time / Part time
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Subject Education in Social Sciences	QC780088	Yes	Both
Curriculum Studies	QC780089	Yes	Both
Policy Studies in Education	QC780090	Yes	Both
Philosophy of Education	QC780091	Yes	Both
Psychology of Education**	QC780092	Yes	Both
Comparative Education	QC780093	Yes	Both
Higher Education Studies*	QC780094	Yes	Both

Notes: *Previous education qualification required.
**You cannot register with the HPCSA with this qualification.
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DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD) IN EDUCATION:

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Admission requirements:

- An appropriate qualification (e.g., MEd) on NQF Level 9 (180 credits) with a minimum average pass mark of 65%.
- To be admitted to the PhD programme of study with specialisation in Higher Education Studies, the student must be working at a higher education institution on a full-time basis.
- The submission of an acceptable research proposal.
- Admission is subject to selection.

Applications open 1 April and close 30 September.

This course requires the successful completion of a full thesis or at least three (3) publishable manuscripts / published articles under the supervision of a supervisor within the minimum duration of two years (four semesters) full-time or four years part-time study.

PhD DEGREES IN EDUCATION WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Thesis/ Three interrelated publishable articles	Part time/Full time
Community Psychology of Education*	QC798880	Yes	Both
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Subject Education in Languages	QC798884	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Mathematics**	QC798885	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Natural Sciences	QC798886	Yes	Both
Education in Science and Technology**	QC798887	Yes	Both
Subject Education in Social Sciences	QC798888	Yes	Both
Curriculum Studies	QC798889	Yes	Both
Policy Studies in Education	QC798890	Yes	Both
Philosophy of Education	QC798891	Yes	Both
Psychology of Education*	QC798892	Yes	Both
Comparative Education and International Studies	QC798893	Yes	Both
Higher Education Studies	QC798894	Yes	Both

Notes:
*You cannot register with the HPCSA with this qualification.
**Students will be selected after taking into consideration their fields of specialisation, previous experience, and academic achievement.

Important:
Selection forms are part of the online application. It is compulsory to be submitted with the application.

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Enquiries: T: +27 51 401 7500 | E: postgradfohs@ufs.ac.za

IMPORTANT: Applicants must please contact the faculty/department/contact person to complete the departmental application/ selection forms as well.

SCHOOL OF NURSING POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMAS IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact sessions
Health Services Management	BC895004	1 year	Yes
Nursing Education	BC859003	1 year	Yes
Primary Care Nursing	BC859000	1 year	Yes
Occupational Health Nursing	BC859001	1 year	Yes
Midwifery	BC859002	1 year	Yes

MASTER'S DEGREE:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time
Master of Nursing	BC882000	2 years	Yes	Yes

DOCTORAL DEGREE:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time
Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing	BC892100	2 years	Yes	Yes

SCHOOL OF CLINICAL MEDICINE | SCHOOL OF PATHOLOGY | SCHOOL OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact sessions	Part time / Full time
Medical Physics	BC851300	2 years	Yes	Full time

BACHELOR OF MEDICAL SCIENCE HONOURS (BMedScHons) DEGREE IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework	Full time
Anatomy and Cell Morphology	BC863000	1 year	Yes	Yes
Haematology and Cell Biology	BC863700	1 year	Yes	Yes
Human Molecular Biology	BC864100	1 year	Yes	Yes
Medical Microbiology and Virology	BC863900	1 year	Yes	Yes
Medical Physics	BC863501	1 year	Yes	Yes
Pharmacology	BC863400	1 year	Yes	Yes
Physiology	BC863600	1 year	Yes	Yes

MASTER OF MEDICAL SCIENCE (MMedSc) DEGREES BY DISSERTATION:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time
Anatomical Pathology	BC883200	1 year	Yes	Yes
Anatomy and Cell Morphology	BC883000	1 year	Yes	Yes
Biostatistics	BC883100	1 year	Yes	Yes
Cardiothoracic Surgery	BC884200	1 year	Yes	Yes
Chemical Pathology	BC883300	1 year	Yes	Yes
Clinical Radiology	BC884300	1 year	Yes	Yes
Haematology and Cell Biology	BC884700	1 year	Yes	Yes
Human Molecular Biology	BC884100	1 year	Yes	Yes
Immunology	BC883800	1 year	Yes	Yes
Medical Microbiology	BC884800	1 year	Yes	Yes
Medical Physics	BC883500	1 year	Yes	Yes
Pharmacology (Analytical / Clinical)	BC883400	1 year	Yes	Yes
Physiology	BC883600	1 year	Yes	Yes
Virology	BC884000	1 year	Yes	Yes

MASTER OF MEDICINE

When considering applying for an MMed, please remember the following:

1. Apply for a position advertised by the Free State Department of Health/NHLS. Posts are advertised at least twice a year.
2. If appointed, the MMed candidate needs to register annually with the UFS and HPCSA.
3. **Residence time is calculated from the very first day of registration as a student at the UFS** and not from the date of appointment by the Province/NHLS.
4. A limited number of funded and HPCSA-accredited posts are available.

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework	Full time
Anatomical Pathology	BC870300	4 years	Yes	Yes
Anaesthesiology	BC870400	4 years	Yes	Yes
Cardiothoracic Surgery	BC871300	5 years	Yes	Yes
Chemical Pathology	BC870500	4 years	Yes	Yes
Community Health	BC873000	4 years	Yes	Yes
Clinical Pharmacology	BC870041	4 years	Yes	Yes
Dermatology	BC870700	4 years	Yes	Yes
Diagnostic Radiology	BC870800	5 years	Yes	Yes
Emergency Medicine (in abeyance)	BC875500	4 years	Yes	Yes
Family Medicine	BC875300	4 years	Yes	Yes
Forensic Medicine	BC870900	5 years	Yes	Yes
Haematology	BC871000	4 years	Yes	Yes
Internal Medicine	BC873300	4 years	Yes	Yes
Medical Genetics (in abeyance)	BC874200	4 years	Yes	Yes
Medical Microbiology	BC871600	4 years	Yes	Yes
Medical Virology	BC872900	4 years	Yes	Yes
Neurosurgery	BC871700	5 years	Yes	Yes
Neurology	BC871800	4 years	Yes	Yes
Nuclear Medicine	BC871400	4 years	Yes	Yes
Obstetrics and Gynaecology	BC871900	5 years	Yes	Yes
Ophthalmology	BC872100	4,5 years	Yes	Yes
Orthopaedic Surgery	BC872200	5 years	Yes	Yes

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework	Full time
Otorhinolaryngology	BC872300	4 years	Yes	Yes
Paediatrics	BC872400	4 years	Yes	Yes
Paediatric Surgery	BC875400	5 years	Yes	Yes
Plastic Surgery	BC872500	5 years	Yes	Yes
Psychiatry	BC872600	4 years	Yes	Yes
Radiation Oncology	BC872700	4 years	Yes	Yes
Surgery	BC870600	5 years	Yes	Yes
Urology	BC872800	5 years	Yes	Yes

MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY (MPhil) DEGREE IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework	Full time
Clinical Haematology	BC870014	2 years	Yes	Yes
Critical Care	BC870012	2 years	Yes	Yes
Endocrinology	BC870040	2 years	Yes	Yes
Gastroenterology	BC870013	2 years	Yes	Yes
Gastroenterology Surgery	BC871100	2 years	Yes	Yes
Geriatric Medicine	BC870018	2 years	Yes	Yes
Interventional Radiology (in abeyance)	BC870015	2 years	Yes	Yes
Infectious Diseases	BC877900	2 years	Yes	Yes
Neonatology	BC870022	2 years	Yes	Yes
Nephrology	BC870017	2 years	Yes	Yes
Paediatric Cardiology	BC870016	2 years	Yes	Yes
Paediatric Oncology	BC870019	2 years	Yes	Yes
Pulmonology	BC871200	2 years	Ye	Yes
Trauma Surgery	BC870021	2 years	Yes	Yes
Vascular Surgery	BC870020	2 years	Yes	Yes

SCHOOL OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD) IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Part time
Anatomy and Cell Morphology	BC893200	2 years	Yes	Yes
Biostatistics	BC893200	2 years	Yes	Yes
Human Molecular Biology	BC893200	2 years	Yes	Yes
Medical Physiology	BC893200	2 years	Yes	Yes

SCHOOL OF CLINICAL MEDICINE

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD) IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Part time
Anaesthesiology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Cardiology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Cardiothoracic Surgery	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Clinical Radiobiology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Community Health	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Critical Care	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Part time
Dermatology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Diagnostic Radiology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Family Medicine	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Forensic Medicine	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Internal Medicine	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Medical Physics	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Neurology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Neurosurgery	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Nuclear Medicine	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Obstetrics and Gynaecology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Ophthalmology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Orthopaedic Surgery	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Otorhinolaryngology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Paediatrics	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Pharmacology (Analytical/Clinical)	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Plastic Surgery	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Psychiatry	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Radiographic Sciences	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Radiation Oncology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Surgery	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes
Urology	BC893000	2 years	Yes	Yes

SCHOOL OF PATHOLOGY

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD) IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Part time
Anatomical Pathology	BC893100	2 years	Yes	Yes
Chemical Pathology	BC893100	2 years	Yes	Yes
Haematology and Cell Biology	BC893100	2 years	Yes	Yes
Human Genetics	BC893100	2 years	Yes	Yes
Medical Microbiology	BC893100	2 years	Yes	Yes
Virology	BC893100	2 years	Yes	Yes

SCHOOL OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATION SCIENCES

MASTER'S DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Full time
Master of Biokinetics	BC879400	1 year	Yes	Yes
Master of Nutrition	BC888101	1 year	Yes	Yes
Master of Occupational Therapy	BC887001	1 year	Yes	Yes
Master of Optometry	BC880100	1 year	Yes	Yes
Master of Science in Dietetics	BC888001	1 year	Yes	Yes
Master of Science in Physiotherapy	BC883901	1 year	Yes	Yes

DOCTORAL DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Full time
Doctor of Philosophy in Occupational Therapy	BC895300	2 years	Yes	Yes
Doctor of Philosophy in Biokinetics	BC899500	2 years	Yes	Yes
Doctor of Philosophy in Dietetics	BC895500	2 years	Yes	Yes
Doctor of Philosophy in Nutrition	BC895200	2 years	Yes	Yes
Doctor of Philosophy in Physiotherapy	BC895400	2 years	Yes	Yes

HEALTH SCIENCES EDUCATION

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN HEALTH PROFESSIONS EDUCATION:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time
Health Professions Education	BC850200	2 years	No	Yes

MASTER'S DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time
Master of Health Professions Education (Coursework and mini dissertation)	BC870200	2 years	Mini dissertation	Yes
Master of Health Professions Education (Dissertation)	BC883700	2 years	Yes	Yes

DOCTORAL DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time
Doctor of Philosophy in Health Professions Education	BC895100	3 years	Yes	Yes

PUBLIC HEALTH

MASTER'S DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time
Master of Public Health	BC886000	1 year	Yes	No

DOCTORAL DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time
Doctor of Philosophy in Public Health	BC896000	2 years	Yes	Yes

FACULTY OF LAW

IMPORTANT: Applicants must please contact the faculty/department/contact person in order to complete the departmental application/ selection forms as well.

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMMES ARE ONLY OFFERED ON THE BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS. THE LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION FOR ALL DEGREES IS ENGLISH.

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMAS

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Simbarashe Tavuyanago | T: +27 51 401 7333 | E: tavuyanagos@ufs.ac.za

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Part time / Full time
Labour Law	BC350200	1 year	Both

For more information, please visit https://www.ufs.ac.za/law/faculty-of-law-home/departments/mercantile-law-home/ postgraduate-diploma-in-labour-law

School of Financial Planning Law

Enquiries: T: +27 51 401 2823 | E: sfpl@ufs.ac.za

Kindly note: All programmes offered by the school are distance learning and part time only.

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Distance learning
Financial Planning	BC350000	1 year	Yes
Estate Planning	BC256000	1 year	Yes
Investment Planning	BC356200	1 year	Yes
Advanced Diploma in Estate and Trust Administration	BD320300	1 year	Yes

POSTGRADUATE DEGREES

Enquiries: Hanlie le Roux | T: +27 51 401 9777 | E: LeRouxH@ufs.ac.za or LawPostgraduate@ufs.ac.za

The faculty offers several master's degrees by coursework, master's degrees by way of full dissertation, and doctoral degrees.

MASTER'S DEGREE BY COURSEWORK

The various departments cater for specialisation in Mercantile Law, Private Law, and Public Law. The Free State Centre for Human Rights offers an MPhil in Human Rights.

Details of all programmes are available on the faculty website at www.ufs.ac.za. The faculty's Postgraduate Office (contact details above) can be contacted for further information.

Coursework master's degrees consist of a mini-dissertation, a module in Research Methodology, and specific discipline/subject-based modules that must be completed and passed to obtain the degree.

MASTER'S DEGREES BY WAY OF FULL DISSERTATION

The faculty also offers an LLM degree by way of full dissertation. Students admitted to the LLM by way of full dissertation register for a module in Research Methodology and for the dissertation.

Admission requirements for LLM degrees by coursework and full dissertation:

- For admission to the Master of Laws degree, a candidate must, subject to 2022 General Rule A72.1, be in possession of an LLB degree or an equivalent Law degree and must have obtained a weighted average of at least 60% in the undergraduate programme. Preferably, candidates must have obtained at least 60% for the final-year research report. If the candidate did not register and pass the research report in the final-year LLB studies, other evidence must be presented of research and writing competencies.

Admission to the Master of Human Rights degree is subject to the UFS General Rules. Specifically, students must

- have an honours degree (NQF exit Level 8) or equivalent qualification; and
- have obtained a weighted average of at least 60%.

Admission to the Master of Human Rights degree is further subject to a selection process.

- Be in possession of an LLB degree
- Passed with a 60% weighted average
- Received 60% for final-year research essay / mini-dissertation

Admission to the Master of Human Rights degree is subject to the UFS General rules. Students must

- be in possession of an honours degree (NQF exit Level 8); or
- have an equivalent qualification found appropriate to pursue the master's degree; and
- have obtained a weighted average of at least 60%.
- Admission to the Master of Human Rights is further subject to a selection process.

STRUCTURED MASTER OF LAWS (LLM)

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework	Part time
Master's degree by coursework and mini-dissertation	BC370200	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Corporate Law	BC371000	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Labour Law	BC371200	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
International Economic Law	BC371400	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Private Law	BC371800	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Criminal Law	BC372100	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes

MASTER OF LAWS (LLM) BY RESEARCH

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework	Part time
Mercantile Law	BC380100	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Private Law	BC380200	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Criminal Law	BC382100	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Constitutional Law and Philosophy of Law	BC380400	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Procedural Law and Law of Evidence	BC380500	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes
Mercantile Law	BC380100	1 year/3 years	Yes	Yes

DOCTORAL DEGREES (PhD or LLD)

The faculty offers two doctoral degrees. Students admitted to doctoral study register for a module in Research Methodology and for the thesis.

Admission requirements:
To be admitted to **the LLD, a candidate must have obtained an LLM and a final mark of at least 65%. To be admitted to the PhD, a candidate must have obtained a master's degree and a final mark of at least 65%.** A candidate with a final mark of between 60% and 64% in the master's degree may be admitted at the discretion of the Dean on the recommendation of the supervisor.

The faculty may require the applicant to write a language proficiency test at his/her own cost, the results of which will be used in the application assessment process.

LLD admission requirements:
- LLM
- 65% weighted average
- 65% for mini-dissertation in the case of coursework master's

PhD admission requirements:
- MA
- 65% weighted average
- 65% for mini-dissertation in the case of coursework master's

DOCTOR OF LAWS (LLD) IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Part time
Mercantile Law	BC390100	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Private Law	BC390200	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Constitutional Law and Philosophy of Law	BC390400	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Procedural Law and Law of Evidence	BC390500	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Medical Law	BC392000	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Criminal Law	BC392100	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Human Rights	BC390700	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD) IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Part time
Mercantile Law	BC390101	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Private Law	BC390102	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Constitutional Law and Philosophy of Law	BC390104	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Procedural Law and Law of Evidence	BC390105	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Medical Law	BC390120	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Criminal Law	BC390121	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes
Human Rights	BC930107	3 years/5 years	Yes	Yes

FACULTY OF NATURAL AND AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

The Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences consists of three research areas:

- Natural Sciences
- Agricultural Sciences
- Building Sciences.

For specific admission requirements to study any of the postgraduate diplomas, honours, master's, and doctoral degrees, consult the faculty website and the Rulebook of the Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences at: http://www.ufs.ac.za/nas or for academic advice, contact the programme director of the specific field of study as indicated below.

Enquiries: Marketing Manager : Elfrieda van den Berg: T: +27 51 401 2531 | E: vdberge@ufs.ac.za | www.ufs.ac.za/nas

IMPORTANT: Applicants must please contact the departmental contact person/programme director to confirm whether departmental application/selection forms should be completed as well.

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED ON THE BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS:

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session / Coursework	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Disaster Management	BC450025	1-2 years	Both	Both	Prof Alice Ncube +27 51 401 9701 | ncubea@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/dimtec
Integrated Water Management	BC450091	1 year	Both	Both	Dr Marinda Avenant +27 51 401 3939 | avenantmf@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/cem
Sustainable Agriculture	BC550047	1 year	Both	Both	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd

BACHELOR'S HONOURS DEGREES:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session / Coursework	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Bachelor of Architecture Honours	BC460114	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Kobus du Preez +27 51 401 2332 | dpreezjl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/architecture
Bachelor of Computer Information Systems Honours	BC460156	1 year – full time or 2 years – part time	Contact sessions and project	Both	Jaco Marais +27 51 401 2929 | csi@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi
Bachelor of Science Honours in Consumer Studies	BC460023	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Bachelor of Spatial Planning Honours	BC460145	1 year – full time or 2 years –part time	Contact session (block sessions)	Compulsory block sessions	Prof Yandisa Mashalaba +27 51 401 3530 | mashalabay@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/urp
Bachelor of Spatial Planning Honours with specialisation in Human Settlements	BC460171	1 year – full time or 2 years – part time	Contact session (block sessions)	Compulsory block sessions	

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session / Coursework	Part time / Full time	Credits	Enquiries
Actuarial Sciences	BC460010	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 statsact@ufs.ac.za | www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Agricultural Economics	BC460011	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Dr WA Lombard +27 51 401 3109 ageconpd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/agricecon
Agrometeorology	BC460012	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 dewetl@ufs.ac.za | www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Applied Statistics	BC460046	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 statsact@ufs.ac.za | www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Astrophysics	BC460017	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	www.ufs.ac.za/physics www.ufs.ac.za/chemistry
Behavioural Genetics	BC460018	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Dr Gerda Marx +27 51 401 3974 geneticspd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Biochemistry	BC460019	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	128	Prof Trudi O'Neill +27 51 401 2122 oneillhg@ufs.ac.za | www.ufs.ac.za/mb
Botany	BC460020	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Angeline van Biljon +27 51 401 9568 avbiljon@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/plant
Chemistry	BC460021	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Rebotsamang Shago: ShagoRF@ufs.ac.za | +27 51 401 2348 www.ufs.ac.za/chemistry
Computer Science and Informatics	BC460022	1 year – full time or 2 years – part time	Contact session and project	Both	120	Jaco Marais +27 51 401 2929 csi@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi
Construction Management	BC460024	1 year – full time or 2 years – part time	Both	Both	136	Hendri du Plessis +27 51 401 9624 duplessishb@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/qscm
Data Science	BC460095	1 year – full time or 2 years – part time	Contact session and project	Both	At least 120	Jaco Marais +27 51 401 2929 csi@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi
Entomology	BC460027	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Candice J van Rensburg +27 51 401 9537 | jvrensc@ufs.ac.za Prof Charles Haddad +27 51 401 2568 | haddadcr@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze
Environmental Geology	BC460028	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Jarlen Keet +27 51 401 2373 beukesj@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geology
Food Science	BC460029	1 year	Contact session	Full time	128	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Forensic Chemistry	BC460065	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Dr Karen Ehlers +27 51 401 3978 | ehlersk@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Forensic Genetics	BC460067	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	
Forensic Science	BC460030	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	
Genetics	BC460031	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Dr Gerda Marx +27 51 401 3974 | geneticspd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Geochemistry	BC460032	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Jarlen Keet +27 51 401 2373 beukesj@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geology
Geography	BC460033	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Adriaan van der Walt +27 51 401 9653 | Vanderwalta@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Geography and Environmental Sciences	BC460062	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	
Geoinformatics	BC460069	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	
Geohydrology	BC460034	1 year	Contact session and project	Both	At least 152	Dr Paul Lourens +27 51 401 2840 | LourensPJH@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/igs

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session / Coursework	Part time / Full time	Credits	Enquiries
Geology	BC460035	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Jarlen Keet +27 51 401 2373 | beukesj@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geology
Mathematics and Applied Mathematics	BC460038	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Dr Edgard Ngounda +27 51 401 2329 | NgoundaE@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/mam
Mathematical Statistics	BC460037	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 | statsact@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Microbiology	BC460039	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	128	Prof Trudi O'Neill +27 51 401 2122 | oneillhg@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/mb
Physics	BC460040	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	www.ufs.ac.za/physics
Plant Breeding	BC460041	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Angeline van Biljon +27 51 401 9568 | avbiljon@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/plant
Plant Health Ecology	BC460082	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	
Plant Pathology	BC460042	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	
Quantity Surveying	BC460043	1 year – full time or 2 years – part time	Both	Both	128	Hendri du Plessis | +27 51 401 9624 duplesisshb@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/qscm
Risk Analysis	BC460087	1 year	Contact sessions	Full time	At least 120	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 | statsact@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Soil Science	BC460044	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Wildlife	BC460089	1 year	Contact session	Full time	At least 120	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal
Zoology	BC460049	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	At least 120	Dr Candice J van Rensburg +27 51 401 9537 | jvrensc@ufs.ac.za Prof Charles Haddad +27 51 401 2568 | haddadcr@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze

BACHELOR OF AGRICULTURE HONOURS DEGREES MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Agricultural Economics	BC560011	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Dr W A Lombard +27 51 401 3109 | ageconpd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/agricecon
Agricultural Management	BC560052	1 year	Contact session	Full time	
Animal Production Management	BC560115	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal
Irrigation Management	BC560072	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Wildlife Management	BC560090	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS DEGREES IN AGRICULTURE MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Agrometeorology	BC560012	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Agronomy	BC560013	1 year	Contact session	Full time	
Animal Sciences	BC560015	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal
Grassland Sciences	BC560036	1 year	Contact session	Full time	
Plant Breeding	BC560041	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	Dr Angeline van Biljon +27 51 401 9568 | avbiljon@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/plant
Plant Pathology	BC560042	1 year	Contact session and project	Full time	

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Soil Sciences	BC560044	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Wildlife Science	BC560089	1 year	Contact session	Full time	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal

MASTER'S DEGREES BY COURSEWORK:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Master of Architecture (Professional)	BC470314	1 year – full time	Contact session	Full time	Kobus du Preez +27 51 401 2332 | dpreezjl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/architecture
Master of Disaster Management	BC470325	1 year – full time	Contact sessions and project	Both	Prof Alice Ncube +27 51 401 9701 | ncubea@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/dimtec
Master of Human Settlements	BC480271	1 year – full time	Contact session	Full time	Prof Yandisa Mashalaba +27 51 401 3530 | mashalabay@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/urp
Master of Land Property Development Management with specialisation in Project Management	BC470393	2 years – part time	Yes	Part time	Hendri du Plessis +27 51 401 9624 duplessishb@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/qscm
Master of Land Property Development Management with specialisation in Property Studies	BC470394	2 years – part time	Yes	Part time	
Master of Sustainable Agriculture	BC571347	1 year	Yes	Part time	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Master of Urban and Regional Planning	BC470348	1 year – full time 2 years – part time	Contact sessions/ coursework/ field trips (block sessions)	Both	Prof Yandisa Mashalaba +27 51 401 3530 | mashalabay@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/urp
Master of Urban and Regional Planning	BC480348	1 year – full time 2 years – part time	No	Both	Prof Yandisa Mashalaba +27 51 401 3530 | mashalabay@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/urp

MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREES BY COURSEWORK MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework / Mini dissertation	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Climate Change	BC470099	2 years	Both	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Consumer Sciences	BC470123	2 years	Coursework	Full time	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Environmental Management	BC470160	2 years	Both	Both	Dr Marinda Avenant +27 51 401 3939 | avenantmf@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/cem
Integrated Water Management	BC470151	2 years	Both	Both	
Mineral Resource Management	BC470178	2 years	Both	Part time	Charlene van der Vyver +27 51 401 2393 | vandervyverc@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geology
Nanoscience	BC470179	2 years	Both	Both	Jaco Marais +27 51 401 2929 | csi@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi

MASTER'S DEGREES BY DISSERTATION:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Coursework / Mini dissertation	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Master of Architecture (Research)	BC480214	1 year/2 years	Yes	Full time / Part time	Kobus du Preez +27 51 401 2332 | dpreezjl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/architect ure
Master of Architecture (Design)	BC480314	2 years	Yes	Part time	
Master of Urban and Regional Planning	BC480348	2 years	Yes	Both	Prof Yandisa Mashalaba mashalabay@ufs.ac.za | +27 51 401 3530 www.ufs.ac.za/urp
Master of Human Settlements	BC480271	2 years	Yes	Both	

MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREES BY DISSERTATION MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Actuarial Science	BC480010	2 years	Yes	Both	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 | statsact@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Agrometeorology	BC480012	2 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Agrometeorology Interdisciplinary	BC480053	2 years	Yes	Both	
Applied Mathematics	BC480016	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Edgard Ngounda +27 51 401 2329 | NgoundaE@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/mam
Applied Statistics	BC480046	2 years	Yes	Both	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 | statsact@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Astrophysics	BC480017	2 years	Yes	Both	www.ufs.ac.za/physics
Behavioural Genetics	BC480018	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Gerda Marx +27 51 401 3974 | geneticspd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Biochemistry	BC480019	2 years	Yes	Full time	Prof Trudi O'Neill +27 51 401 2122 | oneillhg@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/mb
Botany	BC480020	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Angeline van Biljon +27 51 401 9568 | avbiljon@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/plant
Chemistry	BC480021	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Rebotsamang Shago +27(0) 51 401 2348 | ShagoRF@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/chemistry
Computer Information Systems	BC480056	2 years	Yes	Both	Jaco Marais +27 51 401 2929 | csi@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi
Computer Science and Informatics	BC480022	2 years	Yes	Both	Jaco Marais +27 51 401 2929 | csi@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi
Consumer Science	BC480023	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Data Science	BC480095	2 years	Yes	Both	Jaco Marais +27 51 401 2929 | csi@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi
Entomology	BC480027	2 years	Yes	Full time	Dr Candice J van Rensburg +27 51 401 9357 | jvrensc@ufs.ac.za Prof Liesl van As +27 51 401 3460 | vanasll@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze
Environmental Geology	BC480028	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Jarlen Keet +27 51 401 2373 | beukesj@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geology
Environmental Management	BC480060	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Marinda Avenant +27 51 401 3939 | avenantmf@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/cem
Food Science	BC480029	2-3 years	Yes	Full time	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Food and Nutrition Security	BC580193	2-3 years	Yes	Full time	
Forensic Chemistry	BC480065	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Karen Ehlers +27 51 401 3978 | ehlersk@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Forensic Entomology	BC480066	2 years	Yes	Both	
Forensic Science	BC480030	2 years	Yes	Both	
Forensic Interdisciplinary	BC480068	2 years	Yes	Both	
Forensic Genetics	BC480067	2 years	Yes	Both	
Genetics	BC480031	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Gerda Marx +27 51 401 3974 | geneticspd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Geochemistry	BC480032	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Jarlen Keet +27 51 401 2373 | beukesj@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geology
Geography	BC480033	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adriaan van der Walt +27 51 401 9653 | Vanderwalta@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Geohydrology	BC480034	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Paul Lourens +27 51 401 2840 | lourenspjh@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/igs
Geoinformatics	BC480069	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adriaan van der Walt +27 51 401 9653 | vanderwalta@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geograph

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Geology	BC480035	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Jarlen Keet +27 51 401 2373 | beukesj@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geology
Integrated Water Management	BC480051	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Marinda Avenant +27 51 401 3939 | avenantmf@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/cem
Mathematics	BC480038	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Edgard Ngounda +27 51 401 2329 | NgoundaE@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/mam
Mathematical Statistics	BC480037	2 years	Yes	Both	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 | statsact@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Microbial Biotechnology	BC480077	2 years	Yes	Full time	Prof Trudi O'Neill +27 51 401 2122 | oneillhg@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/mb
Microbiology	BC480039	2 years	Yes	Full time	
Physics	BC480040	2 years	Yes	Both	www.ufs.ac.za/physics
Plant Breeding	BC480041	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Angeline van Biljon +27 51 401 9568 | avbiljon@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/plant
Plant Health Ecology	BC480082	2 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Breeding Interdisciplinary	BC480081	2 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Pathology	BC480042	2 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Pathology Interdisciplinary	BC480083	2 years	Yes	Both	
Construction Management	BC480024	2 years	Yes	Both	Hendri du Plessis +27 51 401 9624 | duplessishb@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/qscm
Property Science	BC480085	2 years	Yes	Both	Hendri du Plessis +27 51 401 9624 | duplessishb@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/qscm
Quantity Surveying	BC480043	2 years	Yes	Both	
Risk Analysis	BC480087	2 years	Yes	Both	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 | statsact@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Soil Sciences Interdisciplinary	BC480088	2 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Soil Science	BC480044	2 years	Yes	Both	
Wildlife	BC480089	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal
Zoology	BC480049	2 years	Yes	Full time	Dr Candice J van Rensburg +27 51 401 9357 | jvrensc@ufs.ac.za Prof Liesl van As +27 51 401 3460 | vanasll@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze

MASTER OF AGRICULTURE DEGREES BY DISSERTATION MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Agricultural Economics	BC580111	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr W A Lombard +27 51 401 3109 | ageconpd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/agricecon
Agricultural Management	BC580152	2 years	Yes	Both	
Animal Production Management	BC580115	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal
Irrigation Management	BC580172	2 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Wildlife Management	BC580190	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURE DEGREES BY DISSERTATION MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Agricultural Economics	BC480011	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr W A Lombard +27 51 401 3109 | ageconpd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/agricecon

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Dissertation	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Agrometeorology	BC580012	2 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Agronomy	BC580013	2 years	Yes	Both	
Agrometeorology Interdisciplinary	BC580053	2 years	Yes	Both	
Agronomy Interdisciplinary	BC580054	2 years	Yes	Both	
Animal Science	BC580015	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal
Grassland Sciences	BC580036	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal
Food Science	BC580029	2-3 years	Yes	Full time	Prof Maryna de Wit +27 51 401 3261 | deWitM@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Plant Breeding	BC580041	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Angeline van Biljon +27 51 401 9568 | avbiljon@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/plant
Plant Breeding Interdisciplinary	BC580081	2 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Pathology	BC580042	2 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Pathology Interdisciplinary	BC580083	2 years	Yes	Both	
Soil Science	BC580044	2 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Soil Science Interdisciplinary	BC580088	2 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Wildlife Science	BC580089	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Architecture with Research	BC490014	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Kobus du Preez +27 51 401 2332 | dpreezjl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/architecture
Architecture with Design	BC490114	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Disaster Management	BC490025	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Prof Alice Ncube +27 51 401 9701 | ncubea@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/dimtec
Land and Property Development Management	BC490074	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Prof Yandisa Mashalaba +27 51 401 3530| mashalabay@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/urp
Urban and Regional Planning	BC490048	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Human Settlements	BC490071	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Property Science	BC490085	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Hendri du Plessis +27 51 401 9624 | duplessishb@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/qscm
Quantity Surveying	BC490043	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Construction Management	BC490024	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Urban and Regional Planning	BC490048	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Prof Yandisa Mashalaba +27 51 401 3530| mashalabay@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/urp
Human Settlements	BC490071	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Botany	BC490020	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Angeline van Biljon +27 51 401 9568 | avbiljon@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/plant
Plant Breeding	BC490041	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Breeding Interdisciplinary	BC490081	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Health Ecology	BC490082	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Pathology	BC490042	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Plant Pathology Interdisciplinary	BC490083	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Biochemistry	BC490019	3 years	Yes	Full time	Prof Trudi O'Neill +27 51 401 2122 | oneillhg@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/mb
Microbiology	BC490039	3 years	Yes	Full time	
Microbial Biotechnology	BC490077	3 years	Yes	Full time	
Food Science	BC490029	3 years	Yes	Full time	Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | IvdMerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Thesis	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Animal Science	BC490015	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adri O'Neill +27 51 401 2827 | ONeillHA@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/animal
Wildlife	BC490089	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Grassland Science	BC490036	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Animal Production Management	BC490115	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Wildlife Management	BC490090	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Sustainable Agriculture	BC490047	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Food and Nutrition Security	BC580193	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Ismari van der Merwe +27 51 401 2598 | ivdmerwe@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/sfsd
Consumer Science	BC490023	3 years/ 5 years	es	Both	
Soil Science	BC490044	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Agrometeorology Interdisciplinary	BC490053	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Agrometeorology	BC490012	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Agronomy Interdisciplinary	BC490054	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Agronomy	BC490013	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Linda de Wet +27 51 401 2388 | dewetl@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/scc
Soil Science Interdisciplinary	BC490088	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Irrigation Management	BC490072	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Agricultural Economics	BC490011	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr W A Lombard +27 51 401 3109 | ageconpd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/agricecon
Agricultural Management	BC490052	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr W A Lombard +27 51 401 3109 | ageconpd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/agricecon
Computer Science and Informatics	BC490022	3 years	Yes	Both	Jaco Marais +27 51 401 2929 | csi@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi
Data Science	BC490095	3 years	Yes	Both	
Computer Information Systems	BC490056	3 years	Yes	Both	
Environmental Management	BC490060	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Marinda Avenant +27 51 401 9393 | avenantmf@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/cem
Integrated Water Management	BC490051	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Geoinformatics	BC490069	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Adriaan van der Walt +27 51 401 9653 | vanderwalta@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Geography	BC490033	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Geology	BC490035	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Jarlen Keet +27 51 401 2373 | beukesj@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geology
Geochemistry	BC490032	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Environmental Geology	BC490028	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Geohydrology	BC490034	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Paul Lourens +27 51 401 2840 | lourenspjh@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/igs
Chemistry	BC490021	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Rebotsamang Shago +27 51 401 2348 | ShagoRF@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/chemistry
Astrophysics	BC490017	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	www.ufs.ac.za/physics
Physics	BC490040	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Actuarial Science	BC490010	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Jan Blomerus +27 51 401 9610 | statsact@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/msas
Mathematical Statistics	BC490037	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Applied Statistics	BC490046	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Risk Analysis	BC490087	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Mathematics	BC490038	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Edgard Ngounda +27 51 401 2329 | NgoundaE@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/mam
Applied Mathematics	BC490016	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Genetics	BC490031	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Gerda Marx +27 51 401 3974 | geneticspd@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Behavioural Genetics	BC490018	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Zoology	BC490049	3 years	Yes	Both	Dr Candice J van Rensburg +27 51 401 9357 | jvrensc@ufs.ac.za Prof Liesl van As +27 51 401 3460 | vanasll@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze
Entomology	BC490027	3 years	Yes	Both	

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Forensic Sciences	BC490030	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Karen Ehlers +27 51 401 3978 | ehlersk@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Forensic Interdisciplinary	BC490068	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Karen Ehlers +27 51 401 3978 | ehlersk@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Forensic Entomology	BC490066	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Forensic Chemistry	BC490065	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Karen Ehlers +27 51 401 3978 | ehlersk@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/genetics
Forensic Genetics	BC490067	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED ON THE QWAQWA CAMPUS:

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE HONOURS DEGREES MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session / Coursework	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Botany	QC460020	1 year	Both	Full time	Prof Aliza le Roux +27 58 718 5327 | Lerouxa3@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Zoology	QC460049	1 year	Both	Full time	Prof Aliza le Roux +27 58 718 5327 | Lerouxa3@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Environmental Geography	QC460059	1 year	Both	Full time	Dr Pululu Mahasa | +27 58 718 5036 mahasaps@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Physics	QC460040	1 year	Both	Full time	Dr Mpho Patrick Mokoena, Chemical & Physical Sciences 058 718 5307 MokoenaMP@ufs.ac.za
Chemistry	QC460021	1 year	Both	Full time	
Polymer Science	QC460084	1 year	Both	Full time	
Computer Science	QC460022	2 years	Both	Full time	Christa Faber +27 58 718 5205 | FaberHC@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi

MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREES BY DISSERTATION MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session / Coursework	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Botany	QC480020	2 years	Yes	Both	Prof Aliza le Roux +27 58 718 5327 | Lerouxa3@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Geography	QC480033	2 years	Yes	Full time	Dr Pululu Mahasa +27 58 718 5036 | mahasaps@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Zoology	QC480049	2 years	Yes	Both	Prof Aliza le Roux +27 58 718 5327 | Lerouxa3@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/ze www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Environmental Geography	QC480059	2 years	Yes	Full time	Dr Pululu Mahasa +27 58 718 5036 | mahasaps@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Geo-informatics	QC480069	2 years	No (Dissertation)	Both	Dr Pululu Mahasa +27 58 718 5036 | mahasaps@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Physics	QC480040	2 years	Yes	Both	Dr Mpho Patrick Mokoena, Programme Director, Chemical & Physical Sciences | 058 718 5307, MokoenaMP@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/physics
Chemistry	QC480021	2 years	Yes	Both	
Polymer Science	QC480084	2 years	Yes	Both	
Computer Science	QC480022	2 years	Yes	Both	Christa Faber +27 58 718 5205 | FaberHC@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY DEGREES BY DISSERTATION MAJORING IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session / Coursework	Part time / Full time	Enquiries
Environmental Geography	QC490059	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Full time	Dr Pululu Mahasa +27 58 718 5036 | mahasaps@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/geography
Physics	QC490040	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Dr Teboho Patrick Mokoena MokoenaTP@ufs.ac.za +27 58 718 5307
Chemistry	QC490021	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Polymer Science	QC490084	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	
Mathematics	QC490038	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	Christa Faber +27 58 718 5205 FaberHC@ufs.ac.za www.ufs.ac.za/csi
Computer Science and Informatics	QC490022	3 years/ 5 years	Yes	Both	

FACULTY OF THE HUMANITIES

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THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED ON THE BLOEMFONTEIN CAMPUS:

SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMMES

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration	Contact session	Part time / Full time
Introduction to Transformative Governance	GVTS5814S	3 days	Online coursework as-sessment	Full time
Mastering Leadership for Coalition Governance	MLCG1500S	3 days	Online coursework Group work assess-ment	Full time

AFRICAN LANGUAGES

SESOTHO

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160049	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180049	Dissertation
PhD	BC190649	Thesis

AFRIKAANS AND DUTCH, GERMAN AND FRENCH

AFRIKAANS AND DUTCH

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160012	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180012	Dissertation

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
Master's in Creative Writing	BC170012	Workshops on campus and a mini-dissertation
PhD	BC190612	Thesis
PhD with specialisation in Creative Writing	BC191612	Thesis Creative output related to the thesis

FRENCH

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160026	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180026	Dissertation
PhD	BC190626	Thesis

GERMAN

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160029	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180029	Dissertation
PhD	BC190629	Thesis

ANTHROPOLOGY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160013	Coursework and a research report
BSocSci Honours	BC160113	Coursework and a research report
MA with specialisation in Anthropology	BC180013	Dissertation
MSocSci with specialisation in Anthropology	BC180113	Dissertation
PhD	BC190613	Thesis

ART HISTORY AND IMAGE STUDIES

ART HISTORY AND VISUAL CULTURE STUDIES

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160014	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180014	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals
PhD	BC190614	Thesis or five interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

FILM AND VISUAL MEDIA

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160024	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180024	Dissertation
PhD	BC190624	Thesis

CENTRE FOR GENDER AND AFRICA STUDIES

POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMME FOR GENDER AND AFRICA STUDIES

Enquiries: Prof S Cawood: T: +27 51 401 2614 | E: cawoods@ufs.ac.za

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours in Africa Studies	BC160010	Coursework and a research report
MPhil in Africa Studies	BC181000	Coursework and a mini-dissertation
MPhil in Africa Studies with specialisation in:		
Dynamics of Development in Africa	BC170610	
Heritage Studies and Africa	BC170611	
Global Political Dynamics and Africa	BC170612	
Conflict and Peace in Context	BC170613	
PhD	BC190610	Thesis
BA Honours in Gender Studies	BC160027	Coursework and a research report
MA with specialisation in Gender Studies	BC170027	Coursework and a mini-dissertation
MA with specialisation in Gender Studies	BC180027	Dissertation in Gender Studies

CENTRE FOR HEALTH SYSTEMS RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

HEALTH SYSTEMS STUDIES

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
Master of Health Systems Studies	BC180700	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

COMMUNICATION SCIENCE

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours in Communication Science with specialisation in Media Studies and Journalism	BC161743	Coursework and a research report
BA Honours in Communication Science with specialisation in Corporate and Marketing Communication	BC161738	Coursework and a research report
BA Honours in Communication Science with specialisation in Leadership Communication	BC161741	Coursework and a research report
Master of Arts in Communication Science	BC181717	Dissertation
Master of Arts in Communication Science with specialisation in Media Studies and Journalism	BC181743	Dissertation
Master of Arts in Communication Science with specialisation in Corporate and Marketing Communication	BC181738	Dissertation
PhD	BC190617	Thesis

CRIMINOLOGY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160019	Coursework and a research report
BSocSci Honours	BC160119	Coursework and a research report
Master of Arts with specialisation in Criminology	BC180019	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals
Master of Social Science with specialisation in Criminology	BC180119	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals
PhD	BC190619	Thesis or three interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

DRAMA AND THEATRE ARTS

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160020	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180020	Dissertation
PhD	BC190620	Thesis or three interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

ENGLISH

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160022	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180022	Dissertation
PhD	BC190622	Thesis

FINE ARTS

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
Master's	BC180025	A body of creative works forming an exhibition, as well as a dissertation, exhibition, and catalogue
PhD	BC190625	A body of creative works forming an exhibition, as well as a thesis, exhibition, and catalogue

GEOGRAPHY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160028	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180028	Dissertation
PhD	BC190628	Thesis

PHILOSOPHY & CLASSICS

PHILOSOPHY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160046	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180046	Dissertation
PhD	BC190646	Thesis

CLASSICAL LANGUAGES

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160053	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180053	Dissertation – Greek and/or Latin
PhD	BC190653	Thesis – Greek and/or Latin

CLASSICAL STUDIES

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160054	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180054	Dissertation
PhD	BC190654	Thesis

HEBREW

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160033	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180033	Dissertation
PhD	BC190633	Thesis

HISTORY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160034	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180034	Dissertation
Master's	BC170034	Coursework and a mini-dissertation
PhD	BC190634	Thesis

LINGUISTICS AND LANGUAGE PRACTICE

LINGUISTICS

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160042	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180042	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals
PhD	BC190642	Thesis or three interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

LANGUAGE PRACTICE

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160039	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180039	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals
Master's	BC170039	Coursework and a mini-dissertation
PhD	BC190639	Thesis or three interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

ODEION SCHOOL OF MUSIC

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
Advanced Diploma in Opera Studies	BC 140441	Coursework
Postgraduate Diploma in Music Performance	BC 150044	Coursework
BA Honours (Music)	BC160044	Coursework and a research report
Master of Music	BC184400	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals
Master of Music	BC170544	Coursework (including performing art) and a mini-dissertation
PhD	BC190644	Thesis or three interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals, OR an integrated study of research and creative work that culminates in a thesis

POLITICAL STUDIES AND GOVERNANCE

POLITICAL SCIENCE

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160047	Coursework and a research report
BSocSci Honours	BC160147	Coursework and a research report
MA with specialisation in Political Science	BC180047	Dissertation
MSocSci with specialisation in Political Science	BC180147	Dissertation
PhD	BC190647	Thesis

GOVERNANCE AND POLITICAL TRANSFORMATION

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
Postgraduate Diploma	BC153531	Coursework and a research report
Master of Arts	BC170031	Coursework and a mini-dissertation
PhD	BC190631	Thesis

PSYCHOLOGY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BPsychHons	BC164800	Coursework and a research report
MPsych	BC180248	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
MSocSci in Clinical Psychology	BC170116	Coursework and a mini-dissertation
MSocSci in Counselling Psychology	BC170118	Coursework and a mini-dissertation
PhD in Psychology	BC190648	Thesis or three interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals
DPsych in Child Psychology	BC194801	Coursework and a thesis of limited scope or Course-work and two interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

SOCIAL WORK

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
Master of Social Work	BC180250	Dissertation or two interrelated publishable manu-scripts / published articles in accredited journals
Master of Social Work in School Social Work	BC170250	Coursework (hybrid) and a mini-dissertation in the field of school social work
PhD	BC190650	Thesis or three interrelated publishable manuscripts / published articles in accredited journals

SOCIOLOGY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160051	Coursework and a research report
BSocSci Honours	BC160151	Coursework and a research report
MA with specialisation in Sociology	BC180051	Dissertation
MSocSci with specialisation in Sociology	BC180151	Dissertation
PhD	BC190651	Thesis

SOUTH AFRICAN SIGN LANGUAGE AND DEAF STUDIES

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	BC160052	Coursework and a research report
Master's	BC180052	Dissertation
PhD	BC190652	Thesis

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMMES ARE OFFERED ON THE QWAQWA CAMPUS: AFRICAN LANGUAGES

SESOTHO

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	QC160049	Coursework and a research report
Master's	QC180049	Dissertation
PhD	QC190649	Thesis

COMMUNICATION SCIENCE

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours with specialisation in Leadership Communication	QC161741	Coursework and a research report
Master's	QC181717	Dissertation
PhD	QC190617	Thesis

Community Development

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
PGDip in Community Development	QC154040	Coursework
Master of Community Development	QC174040	Structured with research

ENGLISH

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	QC160022	Coursework and a research report
Master's	QC180022	Dissertation
PhD	QC190622	Thesis

GEOGRAPHY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	QC160028	Coursework and a research report
Master's with specialisation in Human Geography	QC180028	Dissertation
PhD with specialisation in Human Geography	QC190628	Thesis

HISTORY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BA Honours	QC160034	Coursework and a research report
Master's	QC180034	Dissertation
PhD	QC190634	Thesis

SOCIOLOGY

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Mode of presentation
BSocSci Honours	QC160151	Coursework and a research report
MSocSci with specialisation in Sociology	QC180151	Dissertation
PhD	QC190651	Thesis

FACULTY OF THEOLOGY AND RELIGION

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- New Testament Greek and Early Christian Literature
- Ecclesiology / Church History and Polity
- Systematic Theology
- Missiology
- Practical Theology / Pastoral Theology and Praxis
- Spirituality
- Bible Translation
- Religion Studies

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The Postgraduate Diploma in Theology is multidisciplinary and serves to develop the student's knowledge in theology, with a high degree of focus on contextual interaction and ministerial skills. Students with previous theological training are welcome to apply for admission to sharpen their ministry skills, as well as students from other disciplinary fields who are interested in entering the ministry or strengthening ministerial leadership positions in the church.

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
Postgraduate Diploma in Theology	BC950200	1 year	2 years

BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY HONOURS DEGREE (BThHons) WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

The Bachelor of Theology Honours is a postgraduate specialisation programme. It serves to consolidate and expand the student's expertise in a particular theological discipline and to develop her/his research capacity in the methodology, theory, and techniques of the discipline. This qualification demands a high level of theoretical engagement and intellectual independence and includes supervised research.

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
Old Testament	BC960225	1 year	2 years
New Testament	BC960226	1 year	2 years

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
New Testament Greek and Early Christian Literature	BC960233	1 year	2 years
Church History and Polity	BC960227	1 year	2 years
Systematic Theology	BC960228	1 year	2 years
Practical and Missional Theology	BC960234	1 year	2 years
Religion Studies	BC960231	1 year	2 years

MASTER OF THEOLOGY (MTh) DEGREE BY COURSEWORK WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

The Master of Theology is a master's degree by coursework and a mini-dissertation. This degree maintains a high level of proficiency, offering specialised training in one theological discipline. A third of the degree consists of a research project. The degree exposes the student to a broader spectrum of insights in the chosen field of speciality in terms of in-depth theoretical engagement and intellectual independence. This will enable students to deal critically with complex issues, both systematically and creatively, within professional and academic contexts. The degree prepares graduates for specialised professional employment.

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
Old Testament	BC970225	1 year	2 years
New Testament	BC970226	1 year	2 years
Church History and Polity	BC970227	1 year	2 years
Systematic Theology	BC970228	1 year	2 years
Practical and Missional Theology	BC972902	1 year	2 years
Pastoral Theology and Praxis	BC972903	2 years	3 years
Spirituality	BC970240	1 year	2 years
Religion Studies	BC970231	1 year	2 years

MASTER OF ARTS IN BIBLE TRANSLATION (MA BIBLE TRANSLATION) DEGREE BY COURSEWORK:

The Master of Arts (Bible Translation) degree maintains a high level of proficiency and aims to train individuals to translate the Bible effectively.

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
Master of Arts in Bible Translation	BC970535	1 year	2 years

MASTER OF ARTS IN BIBLE TRANSLATION MANAGEMENT (MA BIBLE TRANSLATION MANAGEMENT) DEGREE BY COURSEWORK:

The Master of Arts (Bible Translation Management) degree maintains a high level of proficiency and aims to train individuals to effectively manage the process of Bible translation.

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
Master of Arts in Bible Translation Management	BC970536	1 year	2 years

MASTER OF THEOLOGY (MTh) DEGREE BY DISSERTATION ONLY, WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
Old Testament	BC980225	1 year	2 years
New Testament	BC980226	1 year	2 years
New Testament Greek and Early Christian Literature	BC980241	1 year	2 years
Systematic Theology	BC980228	1 year	2 years
Missiology	BC980230	1 year	2 years
Practical Theology	BC980229	1 year	2 years

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
Religion Studies	BC980231	1 year	2 years

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD) DEGREE IN THEOLOGY WITH SPECIALISATION IN:

Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
Old Testament	BC990425	2 years	4 years
New Testament	BC990426	2 years	4 years
New Testament Greek and Early Christian Literature	BC990450	2 years	4 years
Ecclesiology	BC990427	2 years	4 years
Systematic Theology	BC990428	2 years	4 years
Missiology	BC990430	2 years	4 years
Practical Theology	BC990429	2 years	4 years
Bible Translation	BC990435	2 years	4 years
Spirituality	BC990440	2 years	4 years
Religion Studies	BC990431	2 years	4 years

SHORT LEARNING

SHORT LEARNING PROGRAMMES (SLP) OFFERED IN THE SHEPHERD CENTRE

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Short Learning Programme	Programme Code	Duration of SLP	Requirements
Christian leadership in contemporary context	TCLC1501S	8 weeks	National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement would be beneficial but is not a requirement.
Effective Bible teaching to children	TEBT1501S	8 weeks	English language skills, basic computer skills, access to a computer and the internet.
Introduction to the Bible	TBIB1502S	8 weeks	National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.
Christian ritual as a verbal and non-verbal phenomenon	TDCR1502S	12 weeks	National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.
Practical Theology in a fast-changing environment	TDPT1502S	12 weeks	National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.
Burial rites in the African context	TDBR1502S	12 weeks	National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.
Providence and financial planning for pastors	TPFF1602S	12 weeks	NQF Level 5 qualification and two years of ministry experience.
Interpreting the Bible: A historical overview and a practical execution	TBIB1602S	12 weeks	National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement and must have completed the TBIB1502S SLP.

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Programme Description	Academic Plan Code	Duration Full Time	Duration Part Time
ACTSA Corporate Treasurer Programme	18 weeks	100	5
Advanced Project Management	8 months	700	7
Entrepreneurship and Innovation	6 weeks	40	5
Executive Development Programme	11 months	500	8
Essentials of Project Management	4 weeks	100	5
Financial Management and Cost Accounting	6 weeks	200	5
General Management and Communication	6 weeks	40	5
Marketing and Digital Marketing	6 weeks	120	5
New Managers Programme	6 months	300	5
Operations and Logistics Management	6 weeks	40	5
Project Management Mastery	8 weeks	200	6
Management Development Programme	7 months	400	6
Senior Management Development Programme	10 months	700	7

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Programme Name	Cost	Duration	Academic Level	Admission Requirements
INNOVATIVE INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNIQUES FOR INTERMEDIATE PHASE MATHEMATICS	R10,900.00	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: Higher Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience.
INNOVATIVE INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNIQUES FOR INTERMEDIATE PHASE NATURAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY	R10,900.00	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: Higher Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience.
ACADEMIC ADVISING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT: LEVEL 1	R6,600.00	1 week	5	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience.
UNIVERSAL DESIGN FOR LEARNING: AN INTRODUCTORY COURSE	R7,100.00	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience.
LEARNING DESIGN IN HIGHER EDUCATION	R8,600.00	10 weeks	5	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement.
CURRICULUM RENEWAL INNOVATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION	R8,600.00	5 weeks	5	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent. Preconditions: Academic staff or learning instructional designers in Higher Education.
HOLISTIC WOUND MANAGEMENT	R4,500.00	8 weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: The applicant must write a letter to motivate their application. Professional affiliation with the (HPCSA) or (SANC)
TREATMENT OF COMPLICATED WOUNDS	R4,500.00	26 weeks	8	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience. Professional affiliation with the HPCSA or SANC. The applicant must write a letter to motivate their application.
AUDIOMETRY	R6,800.00	2 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Occupational Health.
SPIROMETRY	R6,400.00	2 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Occupational Health.
HIV AND AIDS CARE	R7,800.00	8 weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with the SANC.
INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL	R8,900.00	20 Weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Health Care facility. Professional affiliation with the HPCSA or SANC.
DISPENSING FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS	R6,500.00	2 weeks	7	Admission requirements: MBChB Degree or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with HPCSA or SANC.
SEDATION AND PAIN MANAGEMENT FOR MEDICAL AND DENTAL PROCEDURES	R25,000.00	48 weeks	7	Admission requirements: MBChB Degree or an equivalent. Preconditions: Professionals affiliation with the HPSCA or an equivalent. Access to patients is provided by own arrangement. International participants certified supporting documents required. (academic transcipts, degree certificates, medical board registration documents)
PRINCIPLES OF PATIENT BLOOD MANAGEMENT FOR MEDICAL DOCTORS	R9,900.00	14 weeks	8	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience. Professional affiliation with the HPCSA

Programme Name	Cost	Duration	Academic Level	Admission Requirements
PRINCIPLES OF PATIENT BLOOD MANAGEMENT FOR NURSING PROFESSIONALS	R8,200.00	14 weeks	7	Admission Requirements: Minimum NQF level 7: Diploma in Nursing or Bachelor Degree in Nursing Sciences. Preconditions: Registered as a professional nurse.
PRINCIPLES OF PATIENT BLOOD MANAGEMENT FOR LABORATORY PROFESSIONALS	R7,800.00	14 weeks	6	Admission Requirements: Minimum NQF Level 4: Certificate (or higher) in Medical Laboratory Technician, Medical Technology or Laboratory Science.
PRINCIPLES OF LAND USE MANAGEMENT	R6,600.00	10 weeks	8	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Town Planning, Real Estate, Property Development and related fields.
INTRODUCTION TO SOCIO-CULTURAL ASPECTS IN PLANNING	R6,600.00	10 weeks	8	Admission requirement: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Town Planning, Human Settlements, Social Facilitation, Advocacy, Cultural Management and related fields.
INTRODUCTION TO BUILDING QUANTITIES	R8,900	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate (NSC) or Higher Education Qualification or currently employed in the Construction Industry. Preconditions: A student can also be admitted on the grounds of a standard of competence, which is sufficient for degree study at a higher education institution. Recognition of prior learning, based on relevant experience in the construction industry, will be considered.
QUANTITY SURVEYING AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT	R8,900	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate (NSC) or Higher Education Qualification or currently employed in the Construction Industry. Preconditions: A student can also be admitted on the grounds of a standard of competence, which is sufficient for degree study at a higher education institution. Recognition of prior learning, based on relevant experience in the construction industry, will be considered.
INTRODUCTION TO PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT	R8,900	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate (NSC) or Higher Education Qualification or currently employed in the Construction Industry. Preconditions: A student can also be admitted on the grounds of a standard of competence, which is sufficient for degree study at a higher education institution. Recognition of prior learning, based on relevant experience in the construction industry, will be considered.
INTRODUCTION TO BUILDING MATERIALS	R8,900	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate (NSC) or Higher Education Qualification or currently employed in the Construction Industry. Preconditions: A student can also be admitted on the grounds of a standard of competence, which is sufficient for degree study at a higher education institution. Recognition of prior learning, based on relevant experience in the construction industry, will be considered.
INTRODUCTION TO CONSTRUCTION PROJECT MANAGEMENT	R8,900	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate (NSC) or Higher Education Qualification or currently employed in the Construction Industry. Preconditions: A student can also be admitted on the grounds of a standard of competence, which is sufficient for degree study at a higher education institution. Recognition of prior learning, based on relevant experience in the construction industry, will be considered.

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INTRODUCTION TO THE BIBLE	R1,900.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
EFFECTIVE BIBLE TEACHING TO CHILDREN	R1,900.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent NQF Level 4 achievement. Preconditions: Experience in Sunday school teaching is recommended. The applicant must write a letter to motivate their application. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.

Programme Name	Cost	Duration	Academic Level	Admission Requirements
CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP IN CONTEMPORARY CONTEXT	R2,200.00	8 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent NQF Level 4 achievement, would be beneficial but is not a requirement. Preconditions: Leadership experience is recommended. Applicants are expected to write a short letter of motivation.
PRACTICAL THEOLOGY IN A FAST-CHANGING ENVIRONMENT	R3,950.00	12 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent NQF Level 4 achievement. Preconditions: Experience in ministry is recommended. The applicant must write a letter to motivate their application. Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
INNOVATIVE INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNIQUES FOR INTERMEDIATE PHASE MATHEMATICS	R10,900.00	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: Higher Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience.
INNOVATIVE INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNIQUES FOR INTERMEDIATE PHASE NATURAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY	R10,900.00	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: Higher Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience.
ACADEMIC ADVISING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT: LEVEL 1	R6,600.00	1 week	5	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience.
UNIVERSAL DESIGN FOR LEARNING: AN INTRODUCTORY COURSE	R7,100.00	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience.
LEARNING DESIGN IN HIGHER EDUCATION	R8,600.00	10 weeks	5	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement.
CURRICULUM RENEWAL INNOVATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION	R8,600.00	5 weeks	5	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent. Preconditions: Academic staff or learning instructional designers in Higher Education.
INTRODUCTION TO SIGN LANGUAGE (BASIC)	R6,100.00	10 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
INTRODUCTION TO SIGN LANGUAGE (INTERMEDIATE)	R6,800.00	10 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Successfully completed the Basic Introduction to Sign Language (Basic). Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
BASIC CONVERSATIONAL SESOTHO COURSE	R3,500.00	24 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.
INTERMEDIATE CONVERSATIONAL SESOTHO COURSE	R3,500.00	25 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Successfully completed Basic Conversational Sesotho.
ADVANCED CONVERSATIONAL SESOTHO COURSE	R4,200.00	26 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Successfully completed Intermediate Conversational Sesotho.
DUTCH FOREIGN LANGUAGE ACQUISTION FOR BEGINNERS	R3,500.00	27 weeks	5	Admission Requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
AFRIKAANS ACQUISITIONING FOR FOREIGN LANGUAGE SPEAKERS	R3,500.00	28 weeks	5	Admission Requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
AFRIKAANS COMPETENCE FOR THIRD AND FOREIGN LANGUAGE SPEAKERS	R3,500.00	29 weeks	5	Admission Requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
FRENCH FOREIGN LANGUAGE ACQUISITION FOR BEGINNERS PART 1	R4,200.00	30 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
FRENCH FOREIGN LANGUAGE ACQUISITION FOR BEGINNERS PART 2	R3,500.00	31 weeks	5	Admission Requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Successfully completed French Foreign Language Acquisition for Beginners part 1. Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
MASTERING LEADERSHIP FOR COALITION GOVERNANCE	R16,200.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: 1 year relevant work experience or involvement in national, provincial, local government, political party, civil society organisation or interest group.
CONFLICT COMPETENCY DEVELOPMENT	R9,000.00	4 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: 4 years relevant work experience.

Programme Name	Cost	Duration	Academic Level	Admission Requirements
HOLISTIC WOUND MANAGEMENT	R4,500.00	8 weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: The applicant must write a letter to motivate their application. Professional affiliation with the (HPCSA) or (SANC)
TREATMENT OF COMPLICATED WOUNDS	R4,500.00	26 weeks	8	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience. Professional affiliation with the HPCSA or SANC. The applicant must write a letter to motivate their application.
AUDIOMETRY	R6,800.00	2 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Occupational Health.
SPIROMETRY	R6,400.00	2 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Occupational Health.
HIV AND AIDS CARE	R7,800.00	8 weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with the SANC.
INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL	R8,900.00	20 Weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Diploma or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Health Care facility. Professional affiliation with the HPCSA or SANC.
HIGH FIDELITY MEDICAL MOULAGE	R7,500.00	3 days	7	Admission requirements: Health professions educators or academics with an appropriate qualification at a minimum of NQF level 6, or an equivalent NQF level 6 qualification. Preconditions: Preferably a background in health care professions or has completed the Simulation for Health Professions Educators SLP .
DISPENSING FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS	R6,500.00	2 weeks	7	Admission requirements: MBChB Degree or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with HPCSA or SANC.
SEDATION AND PAIN MANAGEMENT FOR MEDICAL AND DENTAL PROCEDURES	R25,000.00	48 weeks	7	Admission requirements: MBChB Degree or an equivalent. Preconditions: Professionals affiliation with the HPSCA or an equivalent. Access to patients is provided by own arrangement. International participants certified supporting documents required. (academic transcipts, degree certificates, medical board registration documents)
PRINCIPLES OF PATIENT BLOOD MANAGEMENT FOR MEDICAL DOCTORS	R9,900.00	14 weeks	8	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience. Professional affiliation with the HPCSA
PRINCIPLES OF PATIENT BLOOD MANAGEMENT FOR NURSING PROFESSIONALS	R8,200.00	14 weeks	7	Admission Requirements: Minimum NQF level 7: Diploma in Nursing or Bachelor Degree in Nursing Sciences. Preconditions: Registered as a professional nurse.
PRINCIPLES OF PATIENT BLOOD MANAGEMENT FOR LABORATORY PROFESSIONALS	R7,800.00	14 weeks	6	Admission Requirements: Minimum NQF Level 4: Certificate (or higher) in Medical Laboratory Technician, Medical Technology or Laboratory Science.
ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION	R12,200.00	26 weeks	6	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Successfully completed Basic Principles of Labour Law. Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
ADVANCED PRINCIPLES OF COMMERCIAL LAW	R11,500.00	26 weeks	6	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Successfully completed Basic Principles of Commercial Law. Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
ADVANCED PRINCIPLES OF LABOUR LAW	R12,500.00	26 weeks	7	Admission requirements: Certificate in Basic Principles of Labour Law or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
BASIC PRINCIPLES OF COMMERCIAL LAW	R10,800.00	26 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
BASIC PRINCIPLES OF LABOUR LAW	R11,500.00	26 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
BASIC PRINCIPLES OF SOCIAL SECURITY LAW	R11,500.00	26 weeks	6	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.

Programme Name	Cost	Duration	Academic Level	Admission Requirements
PRINCIPLES AND PROCESSES OF MEDIATION	R14,750.00	8 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Proficiency in English to complete the Differential Aptitude Test. Lecture exemption for participants who completed other Mediation or Dispute Resolution courses at the same NQF. But still need to complete all assessments.
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	R9,400.00	5 weeks	7	Admission requirements: Higher Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: 1 year relevant work experience. Proficiency in English.
FINANCIAL COACHING	R12,000.00	12 weeks	6	Admission Requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: 3 years relevant work experience in Financial Planning. Proficiency in English.
ADVANCED FINANCIAL COACHING PROGRAMME	R44,500.00	12 weeks	7	Admission Requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Successful completion of the Financial Coaching Short Learning Programme. Preconditions: 3 years relevant work experience in Financial Planning. Proficiency in English. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
PRINCIPLES OF LAND USE MANAGEMENT	R6,600.00	10 weeks	8	Admission requirements: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Town Planning, Real Estate, Property Development and related fields.
INTRODUCTION TO DISASTER MANAGEMENT	R9,500.00	1 week	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement.
INTRODUCTION TO SOCIO-CULTURAL ASPECTS IN PLANNING	R6,600.00	10 weeks	8	Admission requirement: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Relevant work experience in Town Planning, Human Settlements, Social Facilitation, Advocacy, Cultural Management and related fields.
SUSTAINABLE HUMAN SETTLEMENTS DEVELOPMENT	R6,600.00	2 weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: 2 years relevant work experience in Human Settlements at manigerial level at local or provincial municipality, SOE or Private Human Settlement Developer.
HUMAN SETTLEMENTS UPGRADING PROGRAMME	R6,600.00	2 weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: 2 years relevant work experience in Human Settlements at manigerial level at local or provincial municipality, SOE or Private Human Settlement Developer.
HUMAN SETTLEMENTS STRATEGIES AND INSTUTUTIONAL FRAMEWORKS	R6,600.00	2 weeks	7	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: 2 years relevant work experience Human Settlements at a municipality, SOE or Private Human Settlement Developer.
HUMAN SETTLEMENTS ADMINISTRATION AND DEVELOPMENT	R6,600.00	5 days	7	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: 2 years relevant work experience. Employed in administrative and or managerial position at a Local or Provincial municipality.
ASA LEVEL 1: INTRODUCTION TO HIGH JUMP	R4,200.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with ASA. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
ASA LEVEL 1: INTRODUCTION TO DISCUSS THROW	R4,200.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with ASA. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
ASA LEVEL 1: INTRODUCTION TO DISTANCE RUNNING AND STEEPLECHASE	R4,200.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with ASA. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
ASA LEVEL 1: INTRODUCTION TO HURDLING	R4,200.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with ASA. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
ASA LEVEL 1: INTRODUCTION TO POLE VAULT	R4,200.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with ASA. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
ASA LEVEL 1: INTRODUCTION TO LONG JUMP	R4,200.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with ASA. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
ASA LEVEL 1: INTRODUCTION TO SPRINTS	R4,200.00	6 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with ASA. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.

Programme Name	Cost	Duration	Academic Level	Admission Requirements
SCHOOL LIBRARY MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION	R5,700.00	10 weeks	5	Admission requirements: National Senior Certificate or an equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Professional affiliation with ASA. Basic computer skills, access to the internet, and an electronic device.
POSTGRADUATE ACADEMIC WRITING	R7,500.00	5 weeks	8	Admission requirement: Undergraduate Degree or equivalent achievement. Preconditions: Participants must have completed an undergraduate degree and be registered for a postgraduate degree.

Application:

To apply: https://kpha.ufs.ac.za
Programmes become available for registration prior to commencement, please keep an eye on the system for the relevant programmes.

Mode of delivery:

Programmes are offered via various modes, including distance, face to face and blended.

Payment:

Programmes are payable in full in advance.

Enquiries:

SLP@ufs.ac.za | www.ufs.ac.za/kpa

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Terms and conditions

The costs provided are an indication of the price, but are subject to possible changes. Offering of programmes are subject to minimum registration and may be cancelled with notice and refund.

STUDENT FINANCE

All correspondence regarding postgraduate student finances must be addressed to: tuitionfees@ufs.ac.za

For detailed financial information, visit *www.ufs.ac.za* and follow the links: Students – Student Finance, or scan the QR code to access Helpful links.

Your **student number** must always be mentioned in all correspondence with the university.

All university fees are determined by the Council and may be amended at any time. The amended amount will be payable on request. Fees are payable in full, irrespective of whether any services rendered by the university are disrupted by circumstances beyond the university's control, such as strikes, student boycotts, public unrest, or any other disruption on campus.

2026 ESTIMATED FEE STRUCTURE:

Please take note that this only an estimation and is subject to change.

Estimated prices quoted are for SA and SADC students. International non-SADC students pay the actual module price +50%.

Honours	
Cost of degree over one year	R55 860
Master's degree	
Cost of degree over two years	R46 200
Year 1 (2026)	R22 000
Year 2 (2027)	R24 200
Doctoral degree	
Cost of degree over three years	R55 220
Year 1 (2026)	R16 680
Year 2 (2027)	R18 350
Year 3 (2028)	R20 190

For detailed financial information, visit www.ufs.ac.za and follow the links: Students – Student Finance, or scan the QR code to access Helpful links.

FIRST PAYMENTS PRIOR TO REGISTRATION

a. Students studying by means of financial aid, e.g., Grants, bursaries, loans, etc.

(SA STUDENTS ONLY)

For more information on financial support, please see www.ufs.ac.za and follow the links: Students – Financial Aid

Students studying with financial aid from recognised and reputable funders are exempted from the first payment after the following conditions have been met:

- Historic debt from the previous year has been paid off.
- The funding must be officially confirmed by the funder. Proof of confirmed funding must be submitted to Student Finance **five (5) working days prior to registration**. Please email the confirmation letter to tuitionfees@ufs.ac.za
- The funding awarded must cover the full cost of study for the year.

The above excludes the following:

- **International students** studying with the assistance of financial aid are **NOT EXEMPT** from paying the first payment, as indicated for SELF-PAYING STUDENTS.
- Students who have applied/appealed for funding but have not yet received funding confirmation, must pay the first payment as indicated for SELF-PAYING STUDENTS, **five**
- **(5) working days prior to registration**. Payments will be refunded when funding is confirmed.
- Students with financial aid that **does not cover the full cost of study** for the year MUST pay the first payment as indicated for SELF-PAYING STUDENTS **five (5) working days prior to registration**.

b. Self-paying and partially funded students

(SA AND INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS)

- First payment is due **five (5) working days prior to registration**. Students will not be able to register until this payment reflects on their tuition fee account.
- Historic debt from the previous year must be paid off.
- Should the total fee for the year be less than the first payment required, the total fee must be paid in full.

For amounts payable as first payments prior to registration, click on the link:

Note: Should a student qualify for an academic merit award, it may be used, partially or fully, to cover the first payment.

c. Re-registration and first payments for master's and phd student

Submission dates and the dates on which assessment results are captured will determine whether you need to re-register and pay a first payment.

If your assessment results are captured on PeopleSoft on/ before the end of February, re-registration and payment is not required.

If your assessment results have not been captured by the end of February or you have to resubmit your thesis for assessment, you have to re-register and pay the required first payment as indicated.

- If your results are received and captured on PeopleSoft in time for the first annual graduation (April), all module fees will be credited to your account.
- If your results are too late for the first annual graduation, but in time for the second graduation ceremony (December), 50% of the module fees will be credited to your account.
- If your results are too late for both graduation ceremonies, all fees charged for the year remain due and payable.

WHERE AND HOW TO PAY:

Facility for Online Payments:

Click on the link below for:
Online payments

Bank deposit to UFS bank account:

- Bank name: ABSA Bank
- Name of account: University of the Free State (Tuition Fees)
- Branch code: 630734
- Account number: 1570 151 688
- Swift code for international transfers: ABSAZAJJ
- Reference number:
- 100 directly followed by student number for tuition fees and/ or on-campus accommodation.

Electronic fund transfers

- Register the university as beneficiary.
- Use the ABSA banking details in above-mentioned paragraph.

Credit card payments

Click on the link below for online credit card payments:
Online Credit Card Payments

UFS Cashiers

Monday to Friday: 08:30-14:30

SAMBA Cards

- Payments can be made at the cashiers on the Thakaneng Bridge on the Bloemfontein Campus.

PAYMENT DATES

Tuition and residence fees are calculated per semester. All fees must be paid as follows, regardless of whether an account has been received or not. **Official account statements are sent to students' ufs4life email addresses** on a monthly basis. It is the responsibility of the student to provide the university with his/ her correct contact details and to make enquiries should he/ she not receive an account.

The university strictly adheres to the Protection of Personal Information Act (POPIA). Account statements or any other personal information will NOT be shared with a third party. You must forward the account to the person(s) responsible for paying the account. It is your responsibility to enquire if you have not received an account.

South African students

- The first payment as indicated must be paid **five (5) working days** prior to registration.
- All fees for the first semester are payable on/before **31 March**.
- The tuition-fee account must be settled in full by **31 August**.

International students

- The first payment as indicated must be paid **five (5) days prior to registration**.
- All fees for the first semester are payable on/before **31 March**.
- The tuition-fee account must be settled in full by **30 June**, regardless of any other date that may appear on the account statement.

All other fees are payable no later than the end of the month following the month in which the transaction took place, as indicated on the account statement, unless specifically stipulated otherwise in the regulations.

UFS Self-help Service

Students can access their personal tuition-fee account via the UFS Self-help Service:

- Visit www.ufs.ac.za and follow the links: **Students–Student Finance–My Account**.
- Your username is your student number. The initial password is provided by the UFS Information and Communication Technology Services (ICT) by means of an SMS when you register.
- For security reasons, students are advised to change their passwords as soon as possible.

If payments are not made by the due dates:

- All academic records, including qualification certificates, conduct certificates, and certified declarations will be withheld.
- **International students** with outstanding fees on 1 July will not be allowed to continue with their second-semester studies.

Important contact details
student finance – postgraduate students:
Honours students:
T: +27 51 401 9111 Option 3 | E: tuitionfees@ufs.ac.za
Master's and doctoral students:
T: +27 51 401 9111 (Option 3) | E: PostGradPayments@ufs.ac.za

HOUSING RESIDENCE

Your home away from home.

POSTGRADUATE STUDENT ACCOMMODATION ON CAMPUS

On-campus accommodation

Postgraduate on-campus accommodation forms an integral part of campus life, as it not only offers our postgraduate students a safe, academically conducive, and universally accessible living environment, but it also creates and embraces the continued development of a postgraduate living and learning community. Thus, our main purpose as Housing and Residence Affairs is to offer a variety of on-campus accommodation for our postgraduate students through our application process, which our postgraduate students are required to follow.

For more information on accommodation for postgraduate students offered by our Housing and Residence Affairs office, kindly use the below details to contact our offices on the following UFS campuses:

Bloemfontein Campus:
T: +27 51 401 2635 | E: Resapplications@ufs.ac.za

Qwaqwa Campus:
T: +27 58 718 5030 | E: Seekanesc@ufs.ac.za

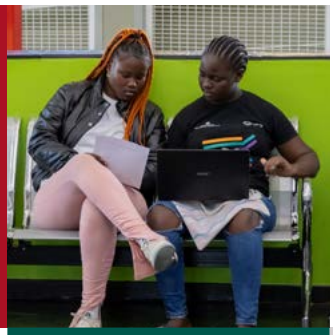
Accredited off-campus accommodation

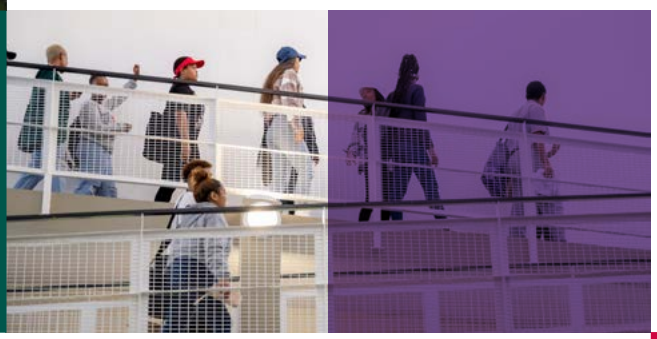
The Housing and Residence Affairs office has an Off- Campus Accommodation office, which coordinates, regulates, and assists with the accreditation of all off-campus accommodation. The safety and living conditions of our postgraduate students are of great importance. Accredited off-campus student accommodation contributes significantly to the success of the UFS. Thus, accredited off-campus accommodation – accredited in terms of our office's set requirements – is pivotal for students to be successful in their studies. Hence, the accreditation process contains a list of primary requirements, drafted with the cognisance of the Mangaung Metropolitan Municipality in terms of off-campus accommodation that private providers must adhere to in order to be accredited by the university. The requirements are in line with the Policy on the Minimum Norms and Standards for Student Housing at Public Universities (Government Gazette 39238, dated 29 September 2015).

For the complete list of accredited student accommodation, visit:

For any further information on accredited off-campus accommodation, kindly use the below contact details:

Off-campus accommodation:
T: +27 51 401 9166 | E: ocastudents@ufs.ac.za





UFS Kovsie – inn

You're innvited

Kovsie-Inn offers luxury post- graduate accommodation, including one-bedroomed apartments and single rooms.

One-bedroomed apartments

- Situated on the ground floor for easy access
- Open-plan lounge/kitchen
- Separate bedroom and bathroom
- Fully furnished, with television and DSTV channels

Single rooms (13 m²)

- Situated on the first floor
- Single bed, desk, wardrobe, and a hand basin
- Share a bathroom with one other person
- Communal lounge and kitchen, with a television and DSTV channels

Single rooms (9 m²)

- Situated on the second floor
- Single bed, desk, and wardrobe
- Communal bathroom (male/female separate)
- Communal lounge and kitchen, with a television and DSTV channels

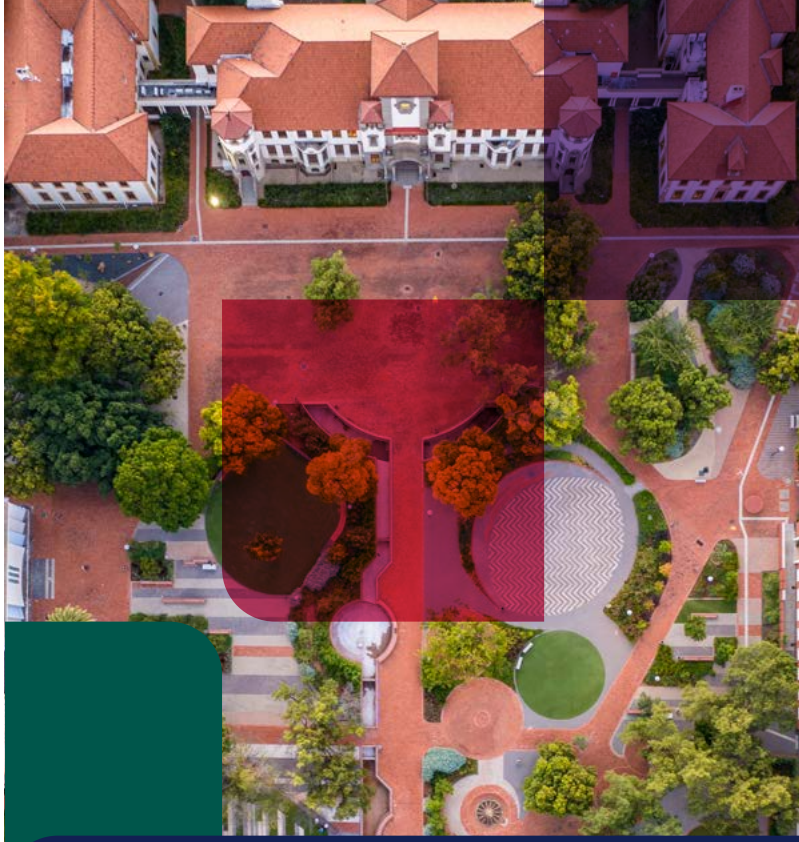
The monthly rates vary for the different options. The following services are also available:

- Reception desk
- Wi-Fi
- Free open-air parking
- Laundry room
- Daily cleaning of communal areas
- Weekly housekeeping in rooms
- Weekly linen change
- Security and access control.

KOVSIE-INN FEES

Postgraduate	
Communal bathroom and kitchen	R75 840
Share bathroom and kitchen	R82 140
One-bedroom flat	R89 940
	R77 480

Contact Kovsie-Inn for more information:
T: +27 51 401 7775 | E: reservations@ufs.ac.za



LIABILITIES

Accidents

As the university only insures its own risks, it cannot be held liable for accidents that happen to students. It is therefore recommended that students take out personal accident insurance.

Damage to students' personal possessions

The university cannot be held liable for loss or damage to students' personal possessions. Residence students also leave their possessions at their own risk in the residences during the holidays. It is therefore recommended that students insure their possessions. Protect yourself and the property of the university. Any damage and/or theft must be reported to the Division of Protection Services. Distinguish between fun and crime and respect other people's property.

Vehicles on campus

It is recommended that students keeping vehicles on campus should take out SASRIA (riot insurance). All students and members of the public who wish to use the roads on campus should purchase an access disk issued by the Division of Protection Services of the university. The disc must be displayed on the windscreen.

If you do not have an access permit, you could receive a traffic fine. People using the roads on the university campus or parking on the campus do so at their own risk and the university does not accept responsibility for any accident, loss, or damage. Any damage or theft must be reported to the Division of Security Services.

CENTRE FOR UNIVERSAL ACCESS AND DISABILITY SUPPORT (CUADS)

"CUADS increasingly plays a vital role in the development of awareness and advocacy for persons with disabilities across all three campuses of the UFS, firmly believing in our motto 'nothing about us without us'." *Martie Miranda*

Enquiries: Martie Miranda: +27 51 401 3713 | cuads@ufs.ac.za

As the CUADS team, we will be delighted to welcome you as a student with a disability, because at CUADS we believe in your potential and creating opportunities where challenges are experienced.

The centre, which was established in 2001, has since grown and expanded significantly and today forms part of Student Affairs as an independent entity, with offices on the Bloemfontein, South, and Qwaqwa campuses. Supplementary to the academic support offered to students with disabilities, the centre aims to ensure that the UFS increasingly becomes a universally accessible higher education institution that embraces and is welcoming to all students, including students with disabilities.

We encourage you to contact us to enable you to achieve your academic goals. We are proud of each and every graduate with a disability at the UFS.

PROGRAMMES AND SERVICES

As a registered UFS student, you can access the following programmes that will enrich your Kovsie experience and support you on your journey to success.

CUADS provides a support service to the following categories of students with disabilities:

- specific learning difficulties (e.g., dyslexia, ADD/ADHD, hyperactivity)
- mobility impairments (e.g., wheelchair users, amputees, cerebral palsy, muscle dystrophy, spina bifida, multiple sclerosis)
- visual impairments (e.g., blind, partially sighted, eye conditions)
- hearing impairments (Deaf, hard of hearing, and deafened)
- debilitating mental health, psychological and other chronic conditions (e.g., schizophrenia, epilepsy, panic disorder)
- temporary impairments (e.g., a broken hand).

Disability Support Programme	Accessible Transport Programme	Liaison, Awareness and Advocacy Programme	Accessibility Programme	Accessible Study Material Production Programme	Alternative Assessment Programme	Communication Access Programme	Student Academic Support Programme

For more information on our services and support, visit the centre on each campus or contact the following numbers:

Bloemfontein Campus:
In the SASOL Library on Level 2
T: +27 51 401 3713
E: cuads@ufs.ac.za

Qwaqwa Campus:
Intsika Buidling, GF0013
T: +27 58 718 5189
E: cuads@ufs.ac.za

South Campus:
Neville Alexander Library, Room D125
T: +27 51 505 1355
E: cuads@ufs.ac.za

STUDENT COUNSELLING AND DEVELOPMENT (SCD)

Specialised Student Support Services

At SCD, we strive to create a conducive environment for developing and achieving individual, academic, and career goals. We aim to support students in the resolution of challenges that may impede the fulfilment of their potential. SCD provides both psychological and social work services.

SCD fulfils the following essential roles:

- Providing online resources as well as individual and group counselling to registered UFS students who are experiencing personal, psychological, and behavioural challenges or require career counselling.
- Aiding and supporting students on their journey of personal development to function at their optimal potential and effectively meet their educational and life goals.
- Enhancing and supporting students' healthy growth and development through advocacy and consultations with the UFS community.

You are not alone! SCD provides services directly to all registered UFS students free of charge. Close working interactions between SCD and other UFS departments are maintained. We foster professional relations with medical and mental health services for resources that are not readily available on the UFS campuses. SCD has partnered with SADAG, who assists us in rendering telephonic counselling. This dedicated toll-free 24/7 Student Mental Health Careline (0800 00 6363) is available free of charge to all registered students.

We provide high-quality professional psychological and social work support. Students who make use of this service experience improved psychological well-being, adjustment to university life, and an enhanced ability to cope with the demands of their respective courses. In everything we do, we keep our students' well-being in mind.

For more information, visit our webpage or contact us at:

Bloemfontein Campus:
T: +27 51 401 2853
E: SCD@ufs.ac.za

South Campus:
T: +27 51 505 1989
E: SCDSouth@ufs.ac.za

Qwaqwa Campus:
T: +27 58 718 5125
E: SCDQQ@ufs.ac.za

STUDENT LIFE

When it comes to ensuring students' holistic growth and success, the Department of Student Life at the University of the Free State (UFS) is at the forefront. With a diverse range of departments and programmes, our mission is to create a vibrant and inclusive campus community where students can thrive academically, socially, and personally.

KOVSIE ACT:

Nurturing Environmental Development Through Fun and Collaboration

Kovsie ACT offers an exciting learning opportunity for students interested in sustainable environmental development. By engaging in community-building activities, students learn new skills, forge valuable relationships, and contribute to a greener future. Join Kovsie ACT to create a collaborative learning environment beyond your study period.

E: act@ufs.ac.za

Gateway Orientation Programme:

A Smooth Transition to Higher Education

Navigating the university environment can be overwhelming for new students. The Gateway Orientation Programme eases this transition by introducing essential services, programmes, and resources. Discover the tools and support needed to become a successful student immediately.

E: gateway@ufs.ac.za

ARTS AND CULTURE OFFICE:

Exploring Social Relations Through Artistic Encounters

The Arts and Culture Office serves as a creative channel to express the vision of Student Affairs through various artistic mediums. Engaging students and the broader community promote social justice, cohesion, and critical diversity. The Arts and Culture Office fosters engaged citizenship and cohesive communities through inspiring performances and thought-provoking exhibitions.

E: arts_culture@ufs.ac.za

FOOD ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME:

Promoting Student Well-being and Success

The Food Environment Programme acknowledges the multiple dimensions of food and aims to address food insecurity and hunger among students. The programme supports student well-being and success by promoting a healthy food environment and empowering students with nutrition knowledge.

E: FoodEnvironment@ufs.ac.za

CAREER SERVICES:

Unlocking Your Professional Potential

Preparing for your dream job and excelling in it is made easier with Career Services at the UFS. It provides a wide range of services and resources to develop the essential employability skills in today's job market. Students can visit the Career Services website and register on the CareerHub to connect with employers, explore job opportunities, and receive guidance for a successful career.

To register on CareerHub: http://careerhub.ufs.ac.za/

E: career@ufs.ac.za

OFFICE FOR STUDENT LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT:

Unlocking Leadership Potential

The Office for Student Leadership Development provides structured programmes and research on graduate leadership development. By collaborating with faculties and departments, we offer co-curricular activities that promote holistic development and enhance academic performance, social integration, and career development. Discover your leadership potential and pave the way for future success.

E: pelserr@ufs.ac.za

KOVSIE X:

Amplifying Student Voices

Kovsie X at the UFS provides a powerful platform for students to express themselves, share perspectives, and showcase talents. Student journalists and content creators inform, entertain, and engage the campus community through newspapers, radio, and digital media. Join the vibrant and diverse media landscape and make your voice heard.

E: kovsiex@ufs.ac.za

RESEARCH OFFICE:

Fostering Data-Driven Innovation

The Research Office of the Division of Student Affairs empowers staff with data-driven decision-making and innovation. By supporting monitoring, assessment, evaluation, and scholarly writing, it advances DSA's goals. Engage in strategic research projects, access valuable resources, and participate in the DSA Research Colloquium.

ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP OFFICE:

Fostering a Community of Care

The office's activities are centred around three main themes: Environmental Affairs, Health and Well-being, and Social Justice for Impact. The office provides various programmes that focus on developing theoretical and practical skills, leadership abilities, community engagement, and volunteer experiences. In this space, we welcome and integrate all the wonderful aspects of our minds, hands, and hearts, creating communities of care among the students at the university.

Embrace the opportunities offered by the Department of Student Life at the UFS and unlock your full potential. Participate in the programmes and services tailored to enhance your academic, personal, and professional growth. Let us create a thriving community that celebrates diversity, fosters excellence, and nurtures success.

For more information, visit the QR codes or email the departments for specific enquiries.

CAMPUS SAFETY

OUR COMMITMENT TO CAMPUS SAFETY

The recent implementation of security enhancement measures by the university is a direct reflection of the UFS Security Policy's principles, as upheld by the Department of Protection Services. The policy emphasises the university's unwavering commitment to safety and the integration of security into everyday campus life, ensuring the well-being of students, faculty, staff, contractors and visitors. The approach aligns with the policy's goal of fostering a secure environment that is essential to the thriving UFS experience. By introducing these technical upgrades as well as other security enhancement measures, the university's Department of Protection Services is demonstrating its commitment to creating and maintaining a safe campus environment as outlined in its strategic plan. These actions underscore the importance of shared responsibility in maintaining a safe and vibrant campus life. The UFS Security Policy booklet encourages all community members to stay informed and engaged in security practices, reinforcing the collective effort to uphold the university's fundamental values of safety and security.

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